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## LOOTERS FIGHT IN CITY STREETS

Rival Factions of Army Quarrel Over Distribution of Arms and Looted Property in Canton

### TROOPS ROB REFUGEES FLEEING BY THOUSANDS

Fighting on Manchurian Border for Control of the Peking Government Increases in Intensity

CANTON, Oct. 18.—Further fighting occurred in the city last night between the rival Yunnan and Cantonese troops, who had a dispute over the allotment of loot and the arms seized from the members of the Merchants' Volunteer Corps.

Looting is still going on, while the troops are robbing the refugees, thousands of whom are leaving Canton, seeking safety in Hong Kong. Business is almost at a standstill, a majority of the business houses being closed as the merchants remain at their posts in the former concession for safety's sake. It is said that much loot has been removed to transports, where it is being held pending a favorable opportunity to dispose of it in other districts.

Many private residences have been commandeered for the use of troops. Two American and six other foreign gunboats are here to protect foreign interests.

A strict government censorship of the press is being maintained.

#### Fighting On Manchu Border

PEKING, Oct. 18.—Fighting between the invading Manchurian forces of General Chang Tao-Lin and the resisting enemies of the Peking government, is being carried on in much the same manner as has been added intensity at Shantung. It is said that the outcome may decide the winner in the conflict for control of the central Chinese government, according to observers who returned today from the Chihli-Manchurian front. Both sides are throwing their best fighting units into the battle for the important strategic lines approaching Shantung, which is located near the Chihli-Manchurian border in Chihli province and held by central government troops.

According to the observers, the plan of the invading Manchurian forces is to break through the lines at Shantung before the troops in Jehol region, a separated front, become a menace to the Manchurian flanking force.

#### Heavy Fighting in North

It is also reported that General Chang Tao-Lin has been forced to weaken his lines at Jehol and Chihli in order to meet the Manchurian forces which have advanced around the Shantung. In the latter sector the fighting has been heaviest around the village of Shihmen, which has changed hands recently under the artillery fire of both sides. Guns are mounted in the hills overlooking the town.

From the reports, the observers believe that the Manchurian side has gained a decided advantage in the fighting thus far. It is said that General Wu Pei-Fu, military head of the Peking government, has not yet launched a serious offensive, being satisfied to protect his lines against surprise movements on the part of the invading force, while additional Peking troops are being sent to the front.

## BANK OFFICERS WOULD QUASH INDICTMENTS

Directors of Defunct Home Institution Make Further Attempt to Avoid Trial by Jury

TORONTO, Oct. 18.—In a further effort to avoid trial by jury, solicitors for the Home Bank officials who are now under indictment on charges of conspiracy, have given notice that they will move before Chief Justice Meredith in Assizes to have the indictment quashed on the ground that the accused were all charged with the same as those in the cases in which Judge Costesworth is now trying.

The defence in brief sets up that the accused have been in jeopardy for the same set of facts three times, a statement which N. W. Rowell made before the Chief Justice this week.

## REORGANIZE FOREIGN SERVICE OF FRANCE

Count de St. Aulaire, Ambassador to Great Britain, to Be Succeeded by Present Minister to China

PARIS, Oct. 18.—Details of the reorganization of the French foreign service are published in the newspapers today. The reorganization was worked out some time ago, but the changes are not to be officially announced until acceptances are received from the various governments to which the new appointments will be accredited.

A new chief, who is announced as decided upon, is the appointment of Aime Joseph de Fleurant, present minister to China, to succeed Count de St. Aulaire, Ambassador to Great Britain. Jules Jusserand, French Ambassador to the United States since 1902, will be succeeded by Noély Georges Duscher, a high official of the foreign office.

Quebec Enjoys Snowstorm  
QUEBEC, Oct. 18.—The winter season was officially ushered in this morning with a real old-fashioned snowstorm. Know also fell at a number of other points in the province.

## PEACE APOSTLE WEARS STRANGE GARB IN BERLIN

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—The most picturesque figure at the peace congress which was in session here for several days was Andreas Schneider, of East Prussia, who attended the meetings barefooted and barelegged, clad in linen knee trousers and blue collarless shirt. His flowing grey beard and long hair added to the unusualness of his appearance.

Schneider refused to eat or to countenance the killing of animals of any kind. He insisted that if the human race stopped killing dumb animals it would lead to its ceasing to slaughter human beings.

## PREMIER KING SEES VANCOUVER PORT

FEDERAL LEADER AND PARTY TOURS BURRARD INLET

Views Shipping and Inspects Operations of Grain Elevators and Work on Narrows Bridge

VANCOUVER, Oct. 18.—Premier W. L. Mackenzie King expressed himself as being vastly impressed with the Port of Vancouver after a tour of the harbor this afternoon at the hands of James Clouston, a complete circle of the harbor was made. Starting from the immigration wharf the party was taken along the waterfront and the Federal Ministers were given an opportunity to view at first hand ocean carriers loading and unloading grain, the grain pier, grain ships being filled with the fruits of the prairie harvest from massive elevators, to the operations in progress on the Second Narrows bridge and the busy shipyards and drydock on the north shore.

The persons whom the commission is authorized to examine are: Henry Smith Oster, Britton Oster, N. E. Strickland, Sunera Margaret Fordyce, Morley H. Bruce, Harold Hall, and Louis Samuel.

Members of the commission, who were appointed by Judge Blake to carry on the work are Harold Shattock, United States consul at Toronto, and Gershrom W. Mason, King's Counsel of Trade, accompanied Premier King and his colleagues.

Full particulars regarding the Second Narrows bridge situation were placed before the Premier and the Minister of Marine, as the Harbor Commissioners, who had been approached by the Premier, had no definite knowledge of the matter.

Mr. Kennedy complied with the request of Government counsel in the quest of Government counsel in the made to the Mammoth Oil Company, a Sinclair subsidiary, for his assistance in gathering evidence in the case, which concerned the safety of the Narrows bridge.

Mr. King spoke in response to greetings from the people.

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## HOUSING SHORTAGE

In Great Britain the housing problem is one of the high cost of building materials, the scarcity of skilled bricklayers, and union restrictions placed on the amount of work which the latter are allowed to perform. To meet the difficulties that exist Lord Weir has made a proposal for the construction of steel houses of standard sizes by mass production. This will do away with the need of reliance on bricklayers. There need be no trenching on the shortage of labor or material in the regular building trade. The proposal is being received favorably. The Housing Department of the Corporation of Glasgow has requested Lord Weir to erect twenty of these houses, half of them bungalows and others in blocks of two. In the steel construction there is nothing except the joiner work which calls for any special training. The claim is made that four handy men can complete a house in a fortnight. The parts can be standardized in factory. The possibility of production is estimated at 100,000 houses for the first year and double that amount for the two following years.

The proposal would have this merit that it would revive activity in the steel industry. It would meet the problem of a house shortage and illustrate to the country that it is not at the mercy of a shortage of bricklayers, or dominated by the restrictions imposed on the number of bricks they lay. Doubtless this, or some other experiment will be employed to relieve the situation that has arisen. Whether or not Mr. Wheatley's policy for meeting the housing shortage will be gone on with will depend on the outcome of the British election. The Labor policy is one in which the nation is going to pledge an immense credit which will act as a drain on the national exchequer for half a century. Lord Weir's plan contemplates no such drain and will probably appeal to the common sense of the British people.

## A DENUNCIATION

In their present campaign against Socialist rule in Britain, the Conservative Party has secured a powerful ally in Mr. Winston Churchill, whose fortunes, for good or for ill, now seem to be linked with the Conservative cause. As a platform speaker he has few, if any, equals, and his ability as an administrator was emphasized before and during the war years. In the present election campaign in Britain no heavier denunciation has come from anyone than from Mr. Churchill against the Russian Treaty. Here is an excerpt from his speech on the subject:

La Presse is of opinion that since the advent of the Laborites to power in Britain, disappointment has been profound and bitter. It says: "Bread is at a shilling; and the unemployment question comes up again as Winter draws near. The Labor Government is crestfallen and is dying from impotence, from its errors, perhaps other causes. Far below appearances there should be sought the real cause of the fall. Is it not connected with the imprudence of a minister, the Attorney-General, who stopped proceedings against a Communist journalist accused of sedition? No. The real cause is the Anglo-Russian Treaty, which has revolted England."

Mr. Stanley Baldwin, the leader of the Conservative Party in Britain, is on record in his election speeches as being determined to do all in his power to prevent the loan to Russia ever becoming an accomplished fact. Britain, he says, has not so much money today that she can afford to run those risks. Russia is but a secondary market to Britain. Mr. Baldwin believes that the Labor Government, in signing the treaty, tacitly assented to the Russian doctrine of repudiation of debt.

In Britain the whole business of an election campaign is being crowded into three weeks. In the United States a campaign has been in progress since early in the year, and it will not end until next month. The political mentalities of the two peoples are different; one is obviously much slower than the other.

The Communist Party of Great Britain had one member in the late parliament. His experience was such that he has now retired, unobtrusively but decisively from the Communist Party. Mr. Newbold has seriously realized that narrow class consciousness has no place in the life of man.

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"It is time that statesmen like myself spoke our minds on this matter," says Colonel John Currie, M.P.P., speaking of Prohibition. Modesty is not the hall mark of modern politicians.

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## Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

This problem of freight rates about which we read so much in the newspapers these days seems to be a very complicated and very perplexing problem indeed. We have no doubt the Premier of British Columbia knows something about it, probably Mr. G. C. McGee knows a good deal about it, and we have little doubt that the officials of the railway companies know all about it and smile sweetly when they hear of what the Parliament of Canada and the Railway Commission of Canada have done about it. The only matter we are quite sure of in connection with it is that fighting it has cost the taxpayers of British Columbia quite a respectable sum of money.

Let us consider the matter briefly and try to make head or tail of it: The spirit of the war of the North and South in the United States was carried over the border into Canada when southern refugees were made by the railway companies to enter Canada with the Northern States. The first attempt was made when two United States steam-boats were seized on Lake Erie and an effort made to release prisoners held on Johnson Island. The object of this attempt was to man the ships as raiders to disrupt shipping on the lake and to involve Canada with the keep the attention of the Northern States divided between attacks to North and South. The second attempt was made on this day in 1864, when twenty-three southern refugees from the Canadian border, for the town of St. Albans, Vermont. There they shot fifteen, robbed a bank of \$23,000 and retired again to Canadian soil. Fourteen of these raiders were arrested and Canada was put to the expense of putting thirty volunteer companies to guard and patrolling the border. After a trial the raiders were sentenced to prison and \$100 in lost returned to them. Opinion in Canada was divided, but many sympathized with the South. However, the sympathy so unwisely displayed in the trial of the Vermont raiders was costly to the Canadian Government for it eventually was necessary, in the interests of international good feeling, for the Government to repay to the United States the \$90,000.

We have stated the case as simply as possible, and if the ordinary reader can make head or tail of it, he has no right to be classified as an ordinary reader. He is qualified to sit on the Railway Board or to take a seat beside the transportation experts who determine freight classifications for the railway companies.

The only thing we are quite sure about in connection of this complicated and perplexing matter is that Parliament in taking the action it did, and throwing the fat in the fire, was not guided by the advice of a competent leader. The leader of the Government under our constitutional system is supposed to be the leader of Parliament. But the Progressive representatives of the Prairies insisted that Parliament must act, and as the leader of the Government could not very long remain leader of the Government if the Progressives were to withdraw their support from him, what could he do? He could hardly be expected to do something that might throw him out of office.

In any case, the railway freight rates question has become a political issue. The Board of Railway Commissioners, which is understood to be a non-partisan body, has been cast into the non-partisan body, has been cast into the "maelstrom of politics." Bitter feelings have been created between Eastern Canada and Western Canada, and in Central Canada partisans are bitterly reviling one another. Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King has been preaching what he seems to consider a new gospel, telling the people wherever he goes that he has consecrated his political life to the sacred cause of Canadian unity. And we doubt whether the oldest inhabitant of Canada remembers a time when the country was so lamentably divided against itself.

But the freight rate question is not settled yet. It is going to be a cause of more turmoil, and it is going to cost a lot more money to try and settle it. The Premier of British Columbia will take an appeal to some tribunal. All the Premiers from the Coast to the borders of Ontario will enter appeals. It will be taken to the highest courts of competent jurisdiction, and possibly again to that highest court of incompetent jurisdiction, the high court of Parliament. Like the celebrated case of Jarndyce vs. Jarndyce, it may drive someone into the realms of lunacy.

The very good people of the very good Province of Ontario are having a most delightful time just now. They are in the midst of a most exciting and interesting campaign, the kind of campaign that makes the heart of the average Ontarian glad within him. They are discussing the merits of prohibition as against the alleged demerits of Government control and sale of wines, beers and liquors. They are going to vote on the issue within a few days.

What a scandal it would be if Ontario, the model Province of Canada, the Province that has set itself upon a pinnacle of righteousness, the Province which is prohibition in principle and yet consumes its fair share of liquor, with a little drop added for good measure (if ungodly statisticians and journalists speak and record the truth), should become an apostate and vote for the legal sale and consumption of liquor!

Of course we have no right to interfere in something that is the proper business of the good people of Ontario. But we have a right to protest when any part of British Columbia is used as a horrible example of what to avoid in a matter of legislation. That is what Ontarians are doing with the City of Vancouver. They are holding it up as a horrible example. They have put it on a public platform and called the attention of the multitude to its big red nose and its little bleary eyes. They are asking the citizens of the cities of Ontario and the people of the townships of Ontario if they really want to become such despicable looking things.

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casually, but we have real admiration for the place and the people; and when such a stigma is cast at it and them we really must protest. It may have a tear-stained face occasionally, but never a red or a dirty nose. Vancouver seems to have fairly well-developed thirst for beer, but, taking one consideration with another, we do not believe there is any city in the world in which there is less drunkenness.

## Canada's Story Day by Day

By BLODOWEN DAVIES

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**FORMER LIBRARIAN  
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Dr. Hand, Once Head of Carnegie  
 City Library, Dies at Advanced  
 Age—Was Eрудite Scholar

The career of a scholar of no inconsiderable local reputation for erudition was brought to a close yesterday morning with the death, after a long illness, of Dr. Hand, former librarian of the Carnegie City Library.

Dr. Hand's career was varied. He was in turn a teacher, a doctor of medicine, a journalist and a librarian. He was born in England 87 years ago. After having taken a high degree at Oxford he emigrated to Canada. In Toronto and nearby towns he served as a teacher, and later in the graded schools, and later in the high schools. Subsequently he became a doctor of medicine. But medicine was not his real forte; and, after practising for only a short time, he took up journalism as a profession. Later his great passion for books drew him to library work. In the position of librarian of the Carnegie City Library he preceded Miss Helen Stewart.

It is believed that Dr. Hand left relatives.

The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel. Funeral arrangements are incomplete as yet.

**MR. LANCASTER DIES  
 IN SAN FRANCISCO**

Mr. Isaac Lancaster, formerly engaged in the clothing business here for twenty-five years, and well known to all old Victorians, died on Friday in San Francisco, where he had taken up his residence a month previously. Before leaving this city for the South his home was at 194 Joseph Street.

Mr. Lancaster was a member of the Knights of Pythias and of the Masonic Lodge in the latter organization being the Vancouver Quadrangle.

Surviving him are his widow, a son Gerald and daughter Esther; one nephew here, Mr. A. Lancaster, of the Army and Navy Clothing Store; and one brother and four sisters in England. He was a native of London.

The funeral arrangements at present incomplete are in the hands of the B.C. Funeral Company.

**OBITUARIES**

STEWART — Service for the late Mr. William Stewart was held yesterday afternoon at 1:30 at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, 570 Johnson Street, Victoria. There was a large attendance of friends and many beautiful flowers were received. The hymns sung were "Abide With Me," "How Firm a Foundation," and "Peace, Perfect Peace." The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. W. D. McLean, A. McEachern, J. McLean, Bruce James Woodcock, J. Russell and W. Shaw. The remains were laid to rest at Royal Oak Burial Park.

LANCASTER — The death occurred Friday, at San Francisco, Cal., of Mr. Isaac Lancaster, 194 Joseph Street, formerly a resident in London, England, and had resided in Victoria for the past twenty-five years. The deceased is survived by his widow and one son, Gerald, and a daughter, Esther; also one brother and four sisters in London, England, and a nephew in this city. The late Mr. Lancaster was a member of the U.P. and the Masonic Lodge, Vancouver and Quadra No. 2 A.F. & A.M. For many years Mr. Lancaster was engaged in the clothing business on Government Street. When the remains arrive they will be conveyed to the B.C. Funeral Chapel, and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

ON — The funeral of the late Lee Hanks, formerly a resident of Esquimalt, and at one time the librarian of the Victoria Carnegie Library. The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

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LEMM — The funeral of the late Mrs. H. J. Lemm, who died suddenly in Vancouver, took place from the residence of her son, Will G. Lemm, 792 Topaz Avenue, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. Rev. Dr. Lemm officiated, and the remains were also interred at the graveside. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. E. E. Corbett, G. H. Brown, T. Hubbard, R. Livingstone, T. Lumisden, J. Wilby. Interment was made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

OLDFIELD — The funeral of the late John Henry Oldfield, who passed away at his home, Elk Lake, last Wednesday, will take place tomorrow morning, the cortège leaving the Bands Funeral Chapel at 10 o'clock. Interment will be at the cemetery. The late Mr. Oldfield was born in the County of Meath, Ireland, 82 years ago, and had been a resident of this city for the past 34 years, his late residence being 27 Government Street. He is survived by his widow, two sons and three daughters.

ANDERSON — The funeral of the late Mrs. Ellen Paris Simpson Anderson, widow of the late David Anderson, whose death occurred on January 23, 1922, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Bands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Arthur deB. Owen will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Bands Cemetery. The late Mrs. Anderson was born in the County of Meath, Ireland, 82 years ago, and had been a resident of this city for the past 34 years, his late residence being 27 Government Street. He is survived by his widow, two sons and three daughters.

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**Principals of Yale By-Election**

MR. SUTHERLAND



MR. GROTE STIRLING

town, and for thirty-one years he has been a loyal and devoted resident, prominent in public affairs and keenly interested in every movement that makes for the welfare and progress of the Orchard City. Giving up teaching after many years' faithful service, he established the business of the Kelowna Furniture Company, which he still carries on, and at a time he was also engaged in real estate and insurance in partnership with the late Mr. H. C. Stillington.

While Mr. Sutherland has taken no active part in politics, but he has given much valuable public service in other fields. He is serving his second consecutive term as chairman of the Kelowna Board of Trade, and is also president of the Associated Boards of Trade of the Okanagan. Latterly he has taken keen interest in the question of better fire protection and is acting as secretary of the B.C. Railway Rates Adjustment Association, which is submitting the case on behalf of the fruit industry to the Railway Commission at Ottawa.

Mr. Sutherland is married and has four children, all of whom are students. His wife, Mrs. Sutherland, is a teacher at the University of British Columbia, and Andrew and Michael, pupils at the Kelowna public school. In religion he is an Anglican.

He will run again against Mayor D. W. Sutherland in Yale November 6, for the Dominion House.

**Liberal Candidate**

BORN, Oct. 19, 1865, in North Scotia, in the year 1865. Mr. Sutherland, the Liberal candidate, is 58 years of age. He was educated at Pictou Academy and later qualified as a teacher, obtaining a first class certificate. He moved to British Columbia in 1887, teaching school for a time at Mount Lehman, in the Fraser River Valley, and afterwards engaging in a general mercantile business. In 1893 he came to Kelowna as the first teacher of the little school opened by the Railway Commission at Yale.

Mr. Sutherland has been a public servant on several occasions to enter the provincial arena, but has consistently declined nomination.

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One Defeated

Mayor Sutherland ventured into a larger field in 1921, when he contested Yale against the late Mr. J. A. MacKee in the general election of that year, and, although unsuccessful, he received a signal tribute in being chosen by a two-to-one vote in his favor as the city of Kelowna. He has been called upon several occasions to enter the provincial arena, but has consistently declined nomination.

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**INSTRUCTS COUNSEL  
 TO APPEAL DECISION**

Saskatchewan Government Takes  
 First Step in Fight Against Rail-  
 way Commission's Order

SASKATCHEWAN, Oct. 19.—The Saskatchewan Government has instructed H. J. Rymington, K.C., Winnipeg, to appear on behalf of the Saskatchewan Government before the Board of Railway Commissioners on the Crow's Nest freight rates agreement to the Governor-General-in-Council and to the Supreme Court of Canada. The two appeals will be taken on the question of law, and Mr. Rymington, according to a statement today by Mr. Clegg, Attorney-General, will ask for a stay of proceedings on the abrogation of the agreement until such time as the two appeals are argued.

The Saskatchewan Government is acting in co-operation with the Alberta and Manitoba Governments in the matter.

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 Those Gowans?—  
 Why, O Why, O Why?**

"Why did we take those gowns—  
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England's Prettiest Village Claims Fame

IPSWICH, England, Oct. 18.—This quiet old-world village atop a Hertfordshire hill is modestly putting forth its claim to being the prettiest village in England.

Whether the most pleasing village in England or not, the hamlet is at least interesting because of the quaintness of its name, which seems to be derived from the name of a saint who, in his day, was as celebrated as a horse jockey as he was

for these qualities. It is written that he was a good horse jockey, and for these qualities, no devout horsemen after his death, as he was, sought to abscond to bring their steeds into the church, even up to the high altar, where the holy horseman was shorn.

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Romping Ponies Bring Riches to Doncaster

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The famous St. Leger race, which was run recently at Doncaster in the north of England, is not only a big sporting event, but one which from first to last has brought in less than \$5,000 in profits to the municipality of Doncaster.

Every year the St. Leger, which is to the people of the north country in early Autumn days what the Derby is to Londoners at Whitstable, adds from \$60,000 to \$75,000 profits to Doncaster's receipts to lessen the tax-payer's burdens. This is because the Doncaster corporation owns the course.

Doncaster derives profit both directly and indirectly from the big race meet, which is the most dramatic test of speed and staying power for the best three-year-olds of each season. Though never quite so large as the annuals of Epsom Downs, the St. Leger crowd usually exceeds 500,000.

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Tests for Accountants  
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Clark's Tomato Catsup, **12 oz.**  
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figured broche, back and hip  
sections of surgical elastic,  
lightly boned, in 15-inch  
length; sizes 25 to 32. Also  
midriff and stomach figure in  
surgical elastic and plain  
cotton, in 15-inch length.  
Sizes 31 to 38. Price.....**\$7.50**

**Saddle Back Trelo Girdle**  
Made of solid mercerized  
Treloex and silk broche, in  
various styles and lengths.  
Prices.....**\$2.25 to \$15.50**

—2nd Floor

## Great Variety of Hair Goods

At Hudson's Bay Low Prices

Hair Nets, Curlers, Wavers, Curling Tongs, Hairpins, Combs and Barrettes, in all the wanted styles, at lowest prices.

**Hair Nets**  
The Gaiety Girl, Silk Hair  
Net, with elastic durable  
and invisible; in black,  
blonde and all shades of  
brown. Price.....**8 for 25¢**

**The Durable Back Nets**  
Made from silk in nice  
medium mesh, large size;  
black and all shades. Price.....**6 for 25¢**

**Hairlye Fringe Nets**  
Extra large size, pure silk  
and invisible. English make;  
in black and colors. Price.....**8¢ for 4 for 25¢**

**Imperial Cap Shape Hair Nets**  
Made from real human hair,  
best quality, finest mesh; in  
cap or fringe shape; all  
shades. Price, each.....**10¢, 15¢, 20¢, 35¢, 50¢**

**French Kid Curlers**  
In bundles. Price.....**15¢**

—Main Floor

**Special Sale of Potatoes**

On Monday

We have just unloaded a car of Gold Coin Potatoes, large, clean, reliable stock. We have no hesitation in guaranteeing the quality, and advise laying in a few sacks. At the price quoted, a considerable saving can be effected. Monday Morning Special, per 100-lb. sack.....**\$1.78**

It may be found impossible to make delivery on the day of sale but every effort will be made to do so. Phone your order in early.

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—Main Floor

## Four Days' Special Demonstration of Blanket Values

### A Timely Opportunity to Select Your Winter Requirements From Large and Well Assorted Stocks

Variety and value is the keynote of this special selling of Blankets commencing Monday. Buying in big quantity lots from the most dependable manufacturers in England and Scotland, we are able to offer our customers the best possible values. Our immense stocks comprise every wanted size and weight for household use, in qualities that you may absolutely depend on.

"Pride o' the Moors" White Wool Yorkshire Blankets

These are manufactured for Hudson's Bay Company by one of the best blanket mills in the world. They are all pure wool, richly soft and warm, with a fluffy nap. May be obtained with pink or blue borders; whipped ends. Size

56 x 72, weight 5 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$7.00**

64 x 80, weight 6 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$8.00**

66 x 84, weight 6 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$9.00**

72 x 90, weight 8 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$10.50**

Superfine Pure Wool Scotch Blankets

Very High-Grade Blankets, woven from first quality thoroughly scoured wool yarns, with that fine soft downy texture that will give the utmost in warmth and comfort. Finished with pink or blue borders.

Size 60 x 80, weight 6 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$10.95**

68 x 86, weight 7 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$12.95**

72 x 90, weight 8 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$15.00**

Balmoral" Brand White Scotch Wool Blankets

Our Balmoral Blankets are unexcelled for warmth, appearance and general serviceability. Hundreds of discriminating housewives prefer them because of their handsome finish and soft downy quality. They come with whipped ends; pink or blue borders.

Size 64 x 80, weight 6 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$9.50**

68 x 86, weight 7 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$10.50**

72 x 90, weight 8 lbs. Price, per pair.....**\$11.50**

Reduced Prices on Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs

Special Sale Commencing Monday

Size 6 by 9, Reg. \$9.75. Special.....**\$8.85**

Size 7.6 by 9, Reg. \$12.00. Special.....**\$10.95**

Size 9 by 9, Reg. \$14.00. Special.....**\$12.95**

Size 9 by 10.6, Reg. \$16.50. Special.....**\$15.10**

Size 9 by 12, Reg. \$19.00. Special.....**\$17.25**

Size 9 by 13.6, Reg. \$21.35. Special.....**\$19.40**

Size 9 by 15, Reg. \$23.70. Special.....**\$21.55**

Mats, size 36 by 18 inches Reg. 65¢. Special.....**49¢**

Entry blanks for the \$1,000 Gold Seal Congoleum Title Writing Contest may be obtained from the Carpet Department, Third Floor.

25 Wash Boilers To Sell Monday at \$4.95 Each

All-Copper Wash Boilers that sell in the ordinary way for \$6.25. Heavy metal, strong wood handles. Special on Monday.....**\$4.95**

More Wash Day Needs at Special Low Prices

Wash Tub Stands

Made to fold up, with space for two tubs, and wringer with adjustable drain board. Special at each.....**\$2.75**

Wash Tubs

Galvanized Wash Tubs, No. 1 size. Special at each.....**\$1.65**

Glass Wash Boards

Price.....**\$9¢**

Zinc Wash Boards

Price.....**69¢**

The Rapid Vacuum Washers

In two sizes. Prices.....**\$8.00 and \$1.40**

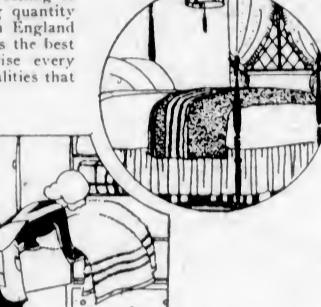
The Snowball Hand Power Washing Machine

The easy, running roller, bearing, rotary washes all gears enclosed, absolutely safe, simple, strong and does not easily get out of order. Tub is made of cypress with corrugated sides and bottom. Price.....**\$23.50**

The Patriot Washing Machine

A popular high speed machine with cut gears and special "agitator" dolly. Price.....**\$25.00**

—Lower Main Floor



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# Social Events

## Rugby Fans

Among those noticed at the Oak Bay Wanderers and United Services Rugby game yesterday afternoon at the Willow, were: Miss Stewart, William, Miss McCall, Mr. McCall, Col. Armstrong and Miss Sheila Armstrong of Vernon, Miss Margaret McVittie, Miss Phyllis Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Judd, Mrs. Tomalin, Mr. H. A. Tomalin, Major Edwards, Mr. Erie Randle, Mr. Anthony Randle, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Reimer, Mr. and Miss Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cameron, Mrs. James Mathews, Miss Molly Spinks, Miss Helen Streetfield, Miss Betty Streetfield, Mrs. Money, Mr. Nicholson, Miss Helen Nicholson, Miss Carolyn Mulligan (Santa Barbara), Miss Helen (Santa Barbara), Miss Amy Alexander, Miss Mabel Winkler, Mr. and Mrs. Errol Gillespie, Mr. Richard Edgell, Mr. Jack Edgell, Miss Mary Reimer, Miss K. Clay, Miss Amy Alexander.

Special Trains will run via Canadian National Railways in connection with various Christmas mailings to the Old Country.

Miss Hyndman, Mrs. Nixon, Lieut. Gow, Mr. Selwyn Davie, Dr. Holmes, Miss Marcia Farrar, Rev. A. E. de L. Nunn, Miss Louise Campbell, Miss Patricia Henning, Mr. Vincent McKinnon.

## Mrs. Dowell Entertains

Mrs. Arthur Dowell entertained a number of her fellow employees of the Hudson's Bay Company at her home on Scar Street during the last week. The party was well attended. The rooms were tastefully decorated with pink and gold asters. During the afternoon Miss Louise McWha contributed instrumental numbers which, together with songs by Miss Wise, Miss Peatt and Miss Beattie, added much pleasure to the enjoyment of the guests. The Misses Lally, Lewis and Caddens assisted in serving refreshments. Among those present were the Misses Dawson, Kempton, Redman, Reimer, Lewis, McWha, Caddens, Lally, Carter, Schofield, Stewart, Bowden, Turner, Watson, Batchelor, Wise, Peatt, Hunter and many others.

## To Honor Mr. Neary

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. Neary, of Scar Street, entertained at their home in their honour Mr. and Mrs. Brian. A most enjoyable evening was spent in dancing and games, which was kept up till the early hours of the morning. The invited guests included the Misses Dorothy Hargrave, Maude MacLean, Laura MacDonald, Esther Bean, Janet Pearce, Pauline, Mrs. John Clegg, Florence Klessinger, Faith Monk and Messrs. Jack Heills, Michael Grant, Raymond Klessinger, Roy Fletcher, Gordon Fletcher, Sidney Cecil, Romley Cecil, James Nestell and Frank Tyrrell.

## Mt. Newton Social Club

The members of Mount Newton Social Club met for the first time this season on Wednesday last. Nine tables were occupied by members and one hundred visitors. The first game was to table number three, played by Miss Gladys Guy, Mrs. S. Fox, Messrs. J. W. Crawford and A. Hydes; second to table three, Mrs. Freeland, Messrs. Bert Fox, H. Bone and H. L. L. B. The refreshments were supplied bountifully by the members and enjoyed after the games. Members and guests are reminded that the next meeting will take place on Tuesday, October 28, instead of Wednesday, October 23, in order to not clash with another local function.

## Children's Party

Mrs. R. E. Rose was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home, 610 Simcoe Street, at a very delightful children's party. Those who were invited and spent a very happy afternoon, were Patricia, Joan, and Kenneth Ellis, Roy, Wilfred and John Lund, Ella Monk, Isabel Munroe, Gerald Wilmont, Jimmie Davis, Gwen Cooper.

## Arrive From England

Mrs. Florence Hale and her sister, Mrs. L. M. Edwards, of 1206 Yates Street, arrived from England yesterday. Mrs. Edwards has been a resident of Victoria for the past four years and has been visiting her old home and relations in London during the Summer months. Miss Hale is visiting her sister and Victoria for a year.

## Bridge Hosts

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. R. W. G. Smith, of 1206 Yates Street, when their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Corby, Mr. and Mrs. Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. Travis, Mrs. Colquhoun Holmes, Miss Holmes, Miss Marjorie Holmes, Mrs. Homer.

## Dramatique Tomorrow

Miss Louise Hayward, who has recently returned from California, has consented to read John Masefield's poem on play-writing at the Dramatique tomorrow at the Empress tomorrow. Capt. J. A. P. Crompton will take part in the satirical burlesque which Masefield introduces to illustrate his theories.

## Mah Jong Hostess

Mrs. P. A. E. Irving entertained at mah jong last evening at her home, "Halwyn," when her guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Monteith, Mrs. Chas. Rhodes, Miss Adair, Miss Constance Heyland, Mr. R. Wootten and Mr. Bruce Irving.

## Sewing Hostess

Mrs. W. W. Balnes, 962 Yates Street, will act as hostess on Wednesday afternoon, October 22, to the members of the L. A. of St. Joseph's Hospital, who will meet there to sew for their annual bazaar to be held November 13.

## Mah Jong Hostess

Miss Marquita Nichol entertained a few friends yesterday afternoon informally at her home at Government House. During the afternoon mah jong was played.

## Back From Scotland

Mr. Jardine returned from Scotland yesterday, and Captain Ian Jardine, of the Hydro Electric staff of Ontario, left for the East on Wednesday night.

## Vancouver Visitor

Mr. Treadwell of Vancouver, who came over to play in the golf matches for the Hunting Cup, is in the guest of Mrs. Clifford C. A. Wain, 224 Menzies Street, and will remain till the middle of next week.

## Visit Victoria

General John Hughes and his daughter, of Bowmanville, Ont., have returned from a trip to California, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Preston, Birch Street.

## Back From Northern

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Welch, of Smithers, have returned from Quebec and are staying with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Preston, Birch Street.

## Post-Nuptial Reception

Mrs. Robert Scott, of 418 Mary Street, Victoria West, will hold her post-nuptial reception on Wednesday, October 22, between 4 and 6 o'clock.

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Mrs. J. B. Cleary will hold her post-nuptial reception at her home, 1188 Hampshire Road, on Tuesday afternoon, from 3 until 6 o'clock.

## Mah Jong Host

Miss Marion Coote, Shire Road, Uplands, entertained Friday afternoon with three tables of mah jong. A number of additional guests arrived for tea.

## Back From England

Mrs. Hayman and daughter, Ruth, have returned to their home in Oak Bay, having just got back from a five week's visit to England.

## Back from Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. H. Dickson, 1175 St. Patrick Street, will return to the city this afternoon from Vancouver, where they went on Friday.

## At Oak Bay

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boidero have taken up their residence at 1262 Beach Drive.

## Goes to Vancouver

Miss Kitty MacLure has gone to Vancouver where she is visiting her cousin, Miss K. W. Panton.

## From Penticton

Miss Cowley is a visitor in the city from Penticton, B.C.

## MUNICIPAL CHAPTER

The monthly meeting of the Municipal Chapter will be held at headquarters, Hanley Building, Thursday, at 8:15 p.m. A full attendance is urgently requested.

Statistics show that there is one officer to every eleven soldiers in the United States army.

Gas Department

BRITISH COLUMBIA ELECTRIC RAILWAY CO.

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## L'ALLIANCE OPENS LECTURE SEASON

Mme. de Marc Stein Entertains Audience With Story of Salons of Eighteenth Century

The twentieth century woman has adopted the theory that in her emancipation she has not only more freedom for the development of her individuality, but greater responsibilities and a fuller life in every way than her prototype of other centuries. Mme. de Marc Stein's lecture last evening on "Salons of the Eighteenth Century," given at Victoria College under the auspices of L'Alliance Francaise, gave another version of the women of the older period, who were shown to have been tremendous influences in politics as well as in society, art and literature.

The charm and spirit of the lecture were evident, obvious familiarity with the manners, customs and people of the whole period under discussion, made the address a very propitious opening to the 1924-25 Alliance series. Mme. de Marc Stein was introduced to the audience by Mrs. Hamilton Smith, the president, Mrs. O. M. Jones being out of the city. She spoke particularly of the witty and clever women of the eighteenth century who made their influence felt in the political and social life of France. Although most of these ladies were of the nobility and of worldly upbringing, others were of more plebeian origin; one, educated in a convent, had succeeded in making her escape and joining the circle of eminent influence; others were literate, some were bairgees and austerities in their attitude toward the frivolities of the times, while still others were intriguing for dominance in political matters. Each of these clever dames surrounded herself with a coterie of brilliant wits, most of whom were Frenchmen, although the foreign diplomat, politician or artist was always welcome.

Mme. de Marc Stein related some of the anecdotes of the time, of the scintillating society which thronged the fashionable salons of the time, and the audience, which included numbers of men as well as women, appreciated this of these by applauding. Among the great hostesses were mentioned the Duchesse de Mme. Georffin, a brilliant brougham, Mrs. Stewart, and her protege, Mme. de Lasalle, Mme. Neckier, Mme. Roland and others. A letter of one of these grand dames was read, this interestingly describing the numerous duties which she carried out during the visit of her hairdresser—call from the bishop, a consultation with her secretary and other.

Mme. de Marc Stein's lecture was well received, particularly of the winter series of lectures, and said that another there would seem to be some ground for all these rumors.

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"Yes," he persisted, "it's going to be a very fine party, even if I do have all the anxiety of it beforehand; and if you want to be get your fun, you'll better get your fun."

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Persons Who Once Suffered From Constipation, Gastritis, Nervousness, Weak Kidneys, Sluggish Liver, Headaches, Catarrh or Rheumatism, Openly Declare the Great Herb Remedy Dreco, Has Brought Relief

To Every Sufferer, the Advice Is Given to Go to Vancouver Drug Co., Limited, Get Dreco and Begin the Treatment Today

You can blame no one but yourself if you continue to suffer, after being told over and over again where you may secure almost instant relief from any of the common daily troubles from which thousands in this city suffer. There are many outward symptoms which show up, but when we trace back to where they come from, nine times out of ten, we find they come from a disordered stomach, a lazy liver, weak kidneys or constipated bowels.

Those are the organs which Dreco acts upon directly, and that is why so many people say that Dreco has relieved them of gastritis, nauseated stomach, indigestion, dyspepsia, nervous headaches, biliousness, dizzy spells, foul breath, constipation, pains in the back, sore muscles, rheumatic joints, catarrh of the head or stomach.

Dreco is being specially introduced in Victoria by

Vancouver Drug Co., Limited, Corner Fort and Douglas Streets

Go there today and ask for Mr. Vaughan, the Dreco Expert, and let him explain the merits of this great remedy. There is no charge, and he will tell you honestly if he believes Dreco will benefit you. Dreco is also on sale in New Westminster and Vancouver by the Vancouver Drug Stores, and in other towns as follows:

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DRECO IS SOLD BY A GOOD DRUGGIST EVERYWHERE

### HAD TO TAKE LAXATIVES

Victoria Lady a Victim of Chronic Constipation, Which Dreco Is Heives to Her Comfort and Satisfaction.

"For a long time I had suffered from chronic constipation," says Mrs. Mary Lampi of Victoria, B.C. "I was continually taking harsh laxatives until my system became so accustomed to them that I could not get along without one every night. My stomach was sluggish, too, so that I had frequent dizzy spells. My appetite was very poor and I had to constantly take laxatives. I tried many medicines, but kept getting worse and worse, and when I first read about Dreco I had very little faith in it, thinking it would be like all the rest."

"Anyways, I decided to give it a trial and you know, it worked! Now, I have two bottles of this wonderful medicine have done marvels for me. I cannot remember when I felt so good as I do now. I haven't been bothered with gas since the first bottle, and can eat and enjoy most anything now. My system is active, I no longer have dizzy spells or spots before my eyes."

Master your digestive system before it masters you. Take Dreco and let its pure, natural herbal juices tone and regulate the vital digestive organs and induce their healthy activity. Dreco contains no mercury, potash or habit-forming drugs.

### TWO YEARS OF AGONY

Weak Stomach Made Life a Burden for Victoria Lady, but Dreco Is Rapidly Helping to Restore Her Health.

"For over two years I had suffered terribly from stomach trouble and constipation," says Mrs. A. E. McLean, of Point Eliza, Victoria, B.C. "I was formed on my stomach after eating and it would胀 my stomach up in an awful way. I would get severe spells of heartburn and my liver was sluggish, too, so that I had frequent dizzy spells. My appetite was very poor and I had to constantly take laxatives. I tried many medicines, but kept getting worse and worse, and when I first read about Dreco I had very little faith in it, thinking it would be like all the rest."

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## Candlelight A Thrilling Serial

BY RUBY AYRES

The story thus far: Minnie and William—William the Third, she a plain, unattractive girl, he a tall, good-looking fellow, side by side on a holiday. She is an undeniably plain, awkward little girl of nine, and he is a tall, good-looking fellow, side by side—not a pictureque pair. But they make a wonderful, marked by concatenation of the boy's part, kind and graceful on the girl's.

CHAPTER II  
The First Kiss

Minnie was just ready for bed, and had risen from her knees on the dusty carpet of the apartment room where she was spending a fortnight with a kindly aunt, the last automatic words a prayer on her lips:

"...God bless my mother and father, and Aunt Louise, and all kind friends, and make me a good girl, for Christ's sake. Amen."

She was reaching up (under strict instructions), to blow out the candle, when a boy's shrill whistle broke the silence, followed by a soft, half-sleepy thought for the boy who had walked away whistling through the Summer night.

"God bless my father and mother, and Aunt Louise, and all kind friends, and make me a good girl, and God bless William the Third, and make him a good man, for Christ's sake. Amen."

Minnie was asleep.

The following day William the Third reminded her of her promise. "You said you'd make me something."

The two were sitting side by side on a wooden seat which ran along the back of the little lifeboat house, and Minnie was feeling at a distinct disadvantage because her feet would not quite touch the ground.

William the Third was seated easily, with several inches over to spare, and he kept his eyes steadily fixed on them as he flung his challenge:

"You said you'd give me something this morning if I asked."

"What is it?" she asked, afraid I haven't got anything very much, and I've eaten all the chocolates."

"It's not chocolates," said William the Third, sternly.

"Oh!"

She turned her head, and found him looking upon her nice eyes which were, with a sort of soft, melting look, behind their merry twinkles, as they met the innocence of her's.

"Can't you guess?" he demanded, with the superiority of five years' seniority.

"I'm not a violin teacher," she said.

"Oh, not that!"

The last word was a soft little cry of distressed understanding, and her sun-brown face grew warm flags of agitation.

William the Third moved an inch nearer, his head round to her instead of his lips brushing her cheeks.

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# NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

## Senior Rugby Matches Show Plenty of Action

Both Yesterday's Games in Barnard Cup Series Keenly Contested—Service Men Display Marked Improvement and Hold Wanderers to a Three-All Draw—J. B. A. A. Back in Old Form, Trim Tillicums, 7-3

THE two senior rugby games played yesterday were both keenly contested. The hard ground gave the teams a better opportunity to show the stuff in their back divisions, and some snappy runs were seen in both of the fixtures. In the Wanderers-Services match, played at the Willows, the Services uncorked a big surprise when they held their fleet opponents to a three-all draw. The game between the J.B.A.A. and the Tillicums, at the Cranmore Road grounds, saw the Bays showing some of the play that put them on the top of the list last year, and they took the count of the newcomers by a score of 7 to 3, after a good exhibition.

### Services Improved

The United Services in their game against the Oak Bay Wanderers at the field of the last, when play was greatly improved over their initial game. The playing of their forwards was a treat to watch, and the scrum work was excellent. For the first half they had the Wanderers continually on the defence, ending the period with three points to nil.

For the first half of the second period the Services continued on the attack, but towards the end the fast pace began to tell on them, and the Wanderers evened the score when Hart went over with a flashy three-quarter run. The try was uncontested, and for the remainder of the game the Wanderers tried desperately to score, the whistle finding them dangerously near the Services' line.

The first half of the game consisted mostly of forward work, with the Services having most of the play. Time and time again they forced the Wanderers back to their own line, kicking to touch by the back division was the only thing that kept the Services from going over. On one or two occasions the Wanderers broke away with some snappy three-quarter work, but splendid tackling by the Services held them off.

W. H. Tillicums, a well-placed kick, secured the first count of the match about half way through the period, when he picked the ball out of a loose scrummage and went over. Barnes made a fine attempt to convert, but his kick was a little short of the mark. Towards the end of the period the Wanderers got into action, but no scoring was done.

### A Foul Tackle

The Services again went out on the attack from the start of the second half. Eshby made a fine run, but was taken down by a fine tackle by Mateson before he could reach the objective. Beach, a few minutes later, repeated the performance, and the Wanderers, who had been unable to score, were still unable to do so.

A well-placed kick by Glimmer relieved the situation. Tillicums, a well-placed kick, secured the first count of the match about half way through the period, when he picked the ball out of a loose scrummage and went over. Barnes made a fine attempt to convert, but his kick was a little short of the mark. Towards the end of the period the Wanderers got into action, but no scoring was done.

### Drop Penalty Goal

Shortly after the second half commenced, Mateson made a name for himself when he secured John Shaw's punt into centre field and carried the ball out of a loose scrummage and went over. Barnes made a fine attempt to convert, but his kick was a little short of the mark. Towards the end of the period the Wanderers got into action, but no scoring was done.

### Wests and Wards Are Winners in Football

## PROGRESS BEING MADE BY OAK BAY BOWLERS

Newly Formed Club to Have Papers and By-Laws Ready for Meeting Next Thursday Night

The newly-formed Oak Bay Lawn Bowling Club is making considerable progress in getting its club established. The general committee has secured data on a number of suitable sites for the erection of the greens and promises for support in the new project have been received from a large number of the residents of Oak Bay and the city.

The by-laws and papers for the incorporation of the club will be ready to be ready for the general meeting which will be held on Thursday night, October 28, at 8 o'clock, in the Oak Bay Municipal Hall, when matters of importance will be discussed. All those who are interested in the forming of the club are invited to be present at the meeting.

## NANAIMO SOCCER CLUB IS NOW REORGANIZED

NANAIMO, Oct. 18.—The Nanaimo City Football Club is now under new management. Owing to local conditions the Western Football Corporation has taken an active control of the business of the club. The company will, however, continue to help the city club as far as possible, and has granted the club the same privileges as far as the clubhouse and grounds are concerned as heretofore.

At a meeting held last night new executives were appointed:

R. H. Hindmarch: president; R. T. Booth: vice-president; R. H. Hindmarch: secretary; L. Booth: treasurer; A. Forrester: manager; J. Watson: trainer; Jas. Barton: executive committee; S. Cowden: P. Eggle: C. Henderson: R. Adam: A. Wardill: Wm. Thorp: J. English: N. Gray: N. C. Smith: finance committee; W. Thorp: J. English: S. Cowden: P. Eggle: grounds committee; W. Thorp: J. English: S. Cowden: emergency committee; J. Watson: L. Booth: J. Gray and M. Wardill.

## Wests and Wards Are Winners in Football

Former Account for United Services by Three Goals to One—North Wards Score Only Goal of Match Against Sons of England—Esquimalt Still Head of League Standing—Three Teams Now Tied for Third Place

YESTERDAY'S results in the First Division soccer games were: Victoria Wests 3, United Services 1; North Wards 1, Sons of England 0. As a result of their victory, the North Wards will jump into second berth one point ahead of the Veterans, Sons of England and the Victoria Wests. These teams are tied for third place with three points apiece. Esquimalt, who were idle during the week-end, are still holding on to the premier berth, just one point in the lead of the Wards. Yesterday's games were well patronized, the followers taking advantage of the fine October weather to turn out in good numbers to witness the games.

### Wests' First Win

The Victoria Wests' soccer eleven gained their first victory of the season in the First Division Football League yesterday at the Royal Athletic Park, at the expense of United Services. The Greenshirts handed the combined defensive forces eleven a 3-1 defeat in one of the best games of the season. Fully 400 fans found their way to the field and while what is expected to be the soccer classic of the season, but the game came along and caused the retirement of Tate, right back for the Servians, about half way through the first half. In clearing from an opposing player in the early stages of the game, this player had the misfortune to get his leg caught and the defensive work of the Bays was too strong, and the period ended with no further scoring.

For the winners, Bendtrot, Goodacre, Ross Johnson and McLean showed good form in the back division while Fortes and Jas. Smith worked hard on the forward line. Pendray, Hustable, Colpitts and McLean did some useful work for the losers. Haun handled the game and the winning team was as follows:

J.B.A.A.—Ross Johnson; Bendtrot, Brynjolfson, McMillen, Tom McLean, Goodacre, Smith, J. Johnson, Bond, Watson, Peden, Mawhood, Porous and Miller.

### King's Prize Winner Is Given Commission

OTTAWA, Oct. 18.—Desmond Burke, 1924 King's Prize winner at Blaize, has been officially appointed to the rank of Lieutenant in the Governor-General's Footguards, according to an announcement made last night.

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Starting at a certain pace, the team in yesterday's battle for soccer supremacy gave the fans a rest treat, and for about twenty minutes the play was of give-and-take nature, with each goal being tested in turn. Things were dangerous for the Servians when, Zanelli, in a moment of panic, fumbled with the ball, instead of being hoisted in the net. Just grazed the upright. This close call on their citadel seemed to awaken new energy in the Service eleven, and on one of their attacks a little clever footwork by Allen, playing inside right for the Servians, put the ball on the goal line of the match. After evading the opposing defence, the player shot from just outside the penalty area, the ball sailing into the corner of the net, completely out of reach of Shandley. However, the joy from this goal was short-lived, but not many minutes later Muir evened things up for the Wests with a nice shot which Zanelli failed to hold. The sounding of the whistle at half-time found the teams tied with one goal apiece.

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### JUVENILE SOCCER

Foul Bay Teams Win and Lose Football Games—Meeting Monday of Athletic Association

In a friendly juvenile soccer game played at Foul Bay yesterday between a team from the former district and Fernwood, the latter team won by a 3-2 score. Ninety minutes of play found the teams tied with two goals apiece but in the extra time the Fern-



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### EPINARD IS FIFTH IN LAUREL STAKES

Wise Counsellor Leads All the Way—French Horse Radly Beaten in Fourth International Race

LAUREL, Md., Oct. 18.—Epinard, the French champion three-year-old thoroughbred, suffered his fourth successive defeat in as many starts in this country when he was vanquished in the \$10,000 Laurel stakes this afternoon by F. A. Burton's Wise Counsellor, winner of the first of the internationals at Belmont Park, Sept. 23. Epinard, who had led a badly beaten fifth in a field of seven. He was ridden by Clarence Kummer. Wise Counsellor led from the fall of the flag to the finish over the mile route in 1:38 2-5, the full second back of the track record.

Wise Counsellor was a length and a half in front of Glen Middle Farm's Big Boy, which was two lengths in front of Gifford A. Cochran's Sunburst. Harry Payne Whiney's Initiate was fourth.

### COAST BASEBALL

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—San Francisco won a double header from Oakland here today, taking the first by a score of 10 to 4, and the second 15 to 2.

With today's wins, the Seals clinched the series and assured themselves of third place in the pennant race, with still a fighting chance for top honors. If Seattle loses two games and Los Angeles one, and San Francisco should take tomorrow's double header, the Seals would win the pennant by one-half game.

San Francisco won both of today's games by heavy and timely hitting. P. C. Payne referred. These games are carried out in conjunction with the Foul Bay Juvenile Athletic Association, which is being formed in that district under the skillful guidance of Mr. Percy Payne, who is intent on keeping the game alive we must train the younger boys and this is our aim," Mr. Payne remarked. The Colonial last night. This newly-formed athletic association will take up all kinds of athletics and is open to all boys between the ages of ten and eighteen years.

### Meeting Monday

On Monday night there will be a meeting of the juvenile association at 244 Mills Street, Foul Bay. All parents are requested to attend and anyone interested in boosting sport for the younger boys is requested to make a special effort to be present. The meeting will commence at 7 o'clock.

Australia and Japan are the best markets for American-made passenger cars and trucks. Australia has bought 20,894 passenger cars in the first half of this year, as compared with 25,817 in the entire twelve months of last year. Japan has taken 3,007 trucks so far this year, as against 5,111 in 1923.

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### AMERICAN FOOTBALL RESULTS

At Pocatello—Stanford 28, Oregon 13. At Seattle—Washington 52, Montana 7. At Portland—University of Southern California 17, Oregon Aggies 6. At Reno—Nevada 48, College of Pacific 6. At Berkeley—Olympic Club 3, California 9.

At Washington—Washington and Jefferson 10, Carnegie Tech 6. At Lincoln—Nebraska 38, College 14. At Princeton—Princeton 15, Navy 14.

At New Haven—Yale 14, Dartmouth 14 (tie). At Mount Vernon—Cornell 26, Ripon 10.

At Urbana—Illinois 39, Michigan 6.

At Cambridge—Harvard 12, Holy Cross 6.

At New York—Notre Dame 18, Army 7.

At Iowa City—University of Iowa, 12, Lawrence College of Wisconsin, 8.

At Manhattan, Kansas—University of Kansas, 6; Kansas Aggies, 6.

At Lincoln—Nebraska, 38; College, 7.

At Madison, Wis.—Wisconsin, 7; Minnesota, 7.

LEWIS STILL SHOWING

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 18.—Ed. "Strangler" Lewis, heavyweight wrestling champion of the world, restrained his title last night by defeating Marcel Gaspard, German invader, in straight falls, winning both of them with his famous headlock. The first fall came in forty-four minutes, while the second was after eight minutes of struggling.

Three thousand Doukhobors from Saskatchewan are preparing to emigrate to Russia.

### INTERMEDIATE BAYS WIN FROM COLLEGE

Brentwood Has One-sided Victory Over United Services—Oak Normals Wanderers Defeat Normals

Some good intermediate rugby was seen in the games played yesterday afternoon. Brentwood repeated the decision of last week and took the snappy Victoria College into camp by a score of 5 to nil. The Oaks Bay Wanderers continued their winning streak and won from the Normal School by a score of 9 to 0. At Victoria, the College boys had rather an easy time with the United Services and overwhelmed them by the one-sided score of 32 to 3.

The J. B. A.—Victoria College match at the Oak Bay grounds was a nip and tuck game from the start. The Bays fielded a team that was much improved in their first appearance and showed some good play at the middle of the game. The College boys pulled off some flashy three-quarter work but the defensive work and tackling of the Bays was good and they kept their line intact. Neither team, was able to score in the first half, although some clear cuts were made by both sides. For a time it looked as if a draw would result and with only about five minutes to go Campbell, who played a strong game throughout, went over for the winning try. Lamont converted with the prettiest kick seen in this tour to complete the touch line. Eaton referred the game and the teams were as follows:

J. B. A.—Campbell; Allen, Dawson, Walls, MacLachlan; Clarke, O'Neill, Butler, Raybone, Askey, Lineham, Underwood, J. Locke and Ryan.

Victoria—College—Dlespeker; Greenwood, McIntyre, Willis, Parish, Locke, Robertson; Winter, Russell, Fraser, Dunn, Parfitt, Hodson, Knox and Ballantyne.

Wanderers Win

The Oak Bay Wanderers continued their winning streak by taking the count of the Normal School at the University School grounds by a score of 9 to 0 nil. The Wanderers were successful in their first game but not however converted. In the first half Wenman put his team in the lead, scoring the only points of the period. Two more were added in the second half, Smith and Grubb being responsible. C. Walle referred and the teams were as follows:

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Normal School—Huxtable; Dickson, Fitchett, Tervo, Waugh; Routy and Martin; Tredwell, Barry, Gagnon, Laycox, Bagshawe, Wilson, Horne and Martello.

The Oak Bay Bays had an easy time with the United Services at Brentwood, winning by a score of 32 to 3. Excellent teamwork and fine coaching has brought the college boys to almost perfection by the time they had handled themselves in the game.

The games, though outclassed, put up a hard battle but could not stand the pace of the students. Playfair, Farren and Grant each went over twice, while Taylor and Wilson crossed over once. Farren added the extra eight points by converting the try of the third. Kinch was the only Seals man to get over. The try was unconverted. The line-ups were as follows:

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# Marine and Transportation

## Princess Kathleen To Be Put Through Trials in December

Will Be Delivered at Victoria the Latter Part of January—Princess Marguerite Will Be Launched the Latter Part of November and Will Follow Her Sister Ship to This Coast Some Months Later

### SIR GEORGE McLAREN BROWN SPEAKS OF CLYDE SHIPPING

THE Canadian Pacific's new coastwise steamer, Princess Kathleen, will run her trials in December on the Clyde, and will reach Victoria, the latter part of January, it was learned here yesterday. The Princess Marguerite, which will follow the Kathleen to this Coast within a month of her departure from the Clyde, will be launched from the yards of John Brown & Sons about the latter part of November.

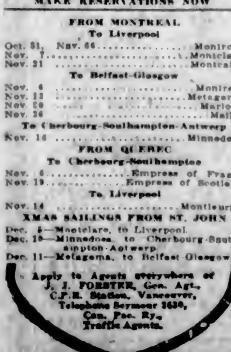
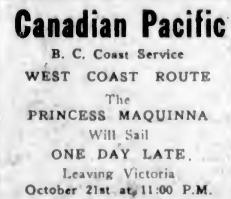
The trials will be held over a measured course and the Kathleen will have to make a maximum of 22½ knots when working on trials, which will keep the vessel running for eight hours steady when must not do less than 21 knots an hour. All auxiliary equipment will be worked during these trials as if they were making her regular run in the triangular service.

#### Steering Gear Test

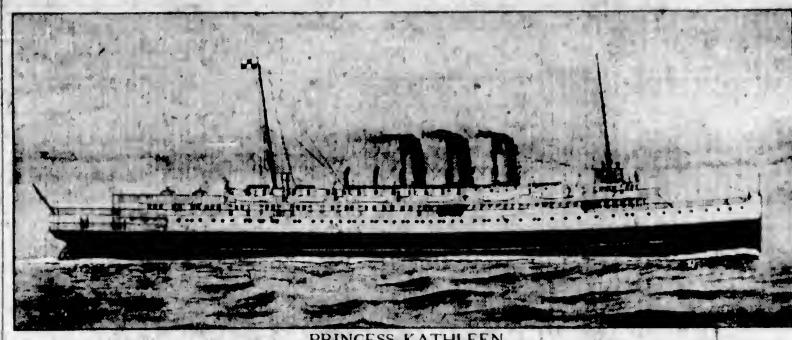
Full speed astern will be ordered several times during the trials to test how quickly the vessel can settle when running at full speed, while the steering apparatus will be tested by sharp order of hard-a-port and hard-a-starboard when the vessel is proceeding at full speed.

Sir George McLaren Brown, of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, made the very interesting statement, while in the Old Country to attend the launching of the Princess Kathleen, that the majority of the vessels comprising the important Pacific fleet of the C.P.R. were constructed on the Clyde, and, he added, they were "some ships". Within the past 22 years, he continued, the company had contributed to the shipbuilding industry of the Clyde more than \$116,000,000, and they were still contributing to the launching of the Princess Kathleen by Meers, Brown & Company showed.

The new vessel, he added, was intended for her owner's triangular service between Victoria, Seattle and Vancouver, and she and her coming sister ship, Princess Marguerite, now on the stocks, would cater for the large tourist traffic which crowded



## Will Take Trials at the Clyde in December



PRINCESS KATHLEEN

### Rum Ship Captain Plans Plea to British Consul

Captain Ford, of Quadra, Facing Indictment, Claims Seizure Illegal—Legal Battle Is Augured—United States Officers Prepare for Trial, Ignoring Stand of Commander—Mr. Kenneth M. Green Is Counsel for Ship's Captain and Crew

INDICTED with conspiracy to defraud the Federal laws of the United States, Capt. George Ford, master of the rum-runner Quadra, with an estimated \$1,000,000 liquor cargo seized by the coast guards, said yesterday that he was preparing to appeal to the British Government for the immediate release of his ship, cargo, thirty-four crew members and himself, who were confined in special advice received here last night.

To Ask Indictment

While Assistant United States Attorney Gillis was secretly closed in conference, Capt. Ford and members of the Quadra's crew were in conference with their counsel, former Assistant United States Attorney Kenneth M. Green.

"We are prepared," says Mr. Gillis, "to go before the Federal Grand Jury to make a complete and full indictment against Capt. Ford and members of the Quadra's crew." Whether we shall seek an indictment charging violation of the tariff laws, I cannot say at this time. We know the vessel is an alleged rum-runner and was caught with the goods," said Mr. Gillis.

Green, attorney for Captain Ford, on the other hand, asserts he is perfecting for his clients an appeal to Gerald Campbell, San Francisco consul-general for the British Government. "Captain Ford has assured

me," says Mr. Green, "that the seizure of his vessel by the coastguard was unlawful, being in violation of the rum-treaty existing between the United States and Great Britain."

#### Liberated on Bonds

Failure to return the indictment precluded the preliminary hearing set for yesterday before Federal Commissioner Krull. Following arrest of Capt. Ford and members of the crew, all members of the Quadra's crew, all were liberated on bonds of \$3,000 each, pending determination of the proposed hearing before the commissioner.

Having received telegraph permission from Washington, Collector of Customs Hamilton has started to inspect the vessel at the port of the appraiser's building. The work is being done under guard of customs inspectors and men of the coastguard fleet. The customs collector has not made known at what pier the Quadra is unloading.

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### EIGHTY PASSENGERS WILL EMBARK HERE

Canadian Travel This Winter Will Be  
Brisk, Reports Mr. J. M. Macdo  
From Prairie Provinces

With a full passenger list for this winter, the reason the Admiral liner Emma Alexander will sail for San Francisco and other California ports of call this morning.

Very few Victorians are leaving this trip, but some eighty will embark here, the majority of whom are from Vancouver and eastern ports.

Among the Victorians leaving are: Mrs. Florence A. Rutherford, Mrs. G. Thompson, Mrs. G. D. B. Turner, Miss C. C. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McLean, Captain and Mrs. Charles E. Helm, Mr. G. Bresley, Mrs. Hedrick and Miss Grace Hobbs. There will be a list of 500 altogether leaving for the South.

A banner year in Canadian travel is predicted, according to reports from Mr. J. M. Macdo, traveling passenger agent of the company, now touring the Prairie Provinces. Mr. Macdo has visited Calgary, Moose Jaw, Medicine Hat, Regina and Brandon, and reports that bookings will be very brisk this winter for California.

### SHIPPING CALENDAR To Arrive

Makura, Australia, October 17. Aralia Maru, Orient, October 22. Kaga Maru, Orient, October 25. Empress of Australia, Orient, October 29.

Calma Maru, Orient, November 6. Hiyama Maru, Orient, November 6. President Jefferson, Orient, November 6.

Empress of Asia, Orient, November 10. Iyo Maru, Orient, November 13. Nagara, Australia, November 14.

To Sail

Makura, Australia, October 22.

President McKinley, Orient, October 23.

Empress of Russia, Orient, October 23.

Arizona Maru, Orient, October 24.

The Meteorological Observatory, Honolulu.

Height Visited, P.C.

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### Christendom the World Over

A Weekly Review of Religious News

From the days when "Toronto was 'Muddy York'" and Methodism had a scanty membership of comparatively poor people to the present standards of the denomination with its 2,500 preachers, over 400,000 members, nearly \$18,000,000 invested in schools and colleges and \$45,000,000 in churches, parsonages and other property, and raising every year over \$9,000,000 for church purposes, of which about \$2,000,000 is for missions, the historical record presented in "One Hundred Years of Victory," a pamphlet issued by the church societies. Already the centenary celebrations are beginning, a pretentious missionary exhibit in London, Ont., including a way of previewing the present missionary activities of the Presbyterians in India, so soon to be included in the United Church.

#### Church of England in Triennial Session

With 225 clergy and laity in at-

tendance in the Lower House and all the bishops but two sitting as the Upper House, the Church of England in Canada passed a review of its work for the past three years at the meeting of the General Synod in London, Ont., last month. The application of Miss Inez Smith to sit as delegate from Hazelton, British Columbia, was refused as contrary to the canons of the church. The application of Dr. Dean Tucker, of London, providing for the right of women to speak in church service was strongly opposed and withdrawn. A Principals' Association, consisting of the heads of the theological colleges was formed during the Synod's meeting. Prayer book revisions in connection with the communion service was shelved.

#### Getting Together

Interdenominational co-operation was illustrated at the recent evangelistic mission conducted by the Student Christian Mission at Fitchburg, Mass., when Unitarians, Methodists, Baptists, Congregationalists, Episcopalians, Presbyterians, Swedes, Norwegians and others united in presenting the essentials of the Christian faith. For the promotion of international friendship, young people from France, Germany, England, Holland and other European countries spent the week end on the tenth anniversary of the declaration of war. Men who had fought against each other conferred on the various idealistic movements in their respective countries. The European press gave large publicity to the gathering.

#### Among the British Churches

Arthur Porritt's "Life of Dr. J. H. Jowett" has just been published.

"I'm Man Come From the Ape?" is the title of a pamphlet recently calling a meeting to protest against

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The oldest clergyman in Britain is Rev. Christopher Cook, of Mambillad, who recently passed the century mark. The venerable cleric still

practices occasional services.

The first layman to occupy the pulpit of the newly consecrated Silverpool Cathedral was Sir Arthur Yapp, the national secretary of the Y.M.C.A.

The Tox H movement will be actively developed in Scotland by Rev. George Macmillan, M.C., the recently appointed chaplain.

Near the spot where Cameron, Cargill and Renwick, the last of the Covenanting martyrs, preached in the time of the persecution, a large covenanted was held recently at Darnie, in Scotland, to signalize the restoration of the monument to the worthies of the faith.

The Catholic Record states that Roman Catholics number one in seven in Scotland and one in twenty in England. Scotland is more Roman Catholic three times over than the city of Glasgow itself contains, 200,000.

Showing their practical union, the Church of Scotland and the United Free Church are jointly issuing a new young people's paper with the title of "Young Scotland."

Of the 14,000 parishes in England, 10,400 are in the Diocese of York, the largest number, 658 in all, are embraced in the diocese of Oxford, and the smallest, twenty-six, in Sodor and Man.

#### About Church Buildings

To replace the building destroyed by fire in May, 1922, the cornerstone of the new Basilica of St. Anne de Beaupre has been laid. To this shrine countless thousands of Canadian pilgrims have made a pilgrimage of

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# Beautiful HOME WEEK

October 20th to 25th

## HOME LIGHTING NEEDS THOUGHT

Health and Comfort Depend  
Greatly on Lighting Scheme  
and Even Character Re-  
sponds to Cheerful Effects

## WALL LIGHTS BECOME EVER MORE POPULAR

Character of Lamps Used  
Should Harmonize With  
Room and Choice of Shades  
Gives Scope to Taste

NOW that the long Winter evenings are upon us, everything that makes for brightness in the home must have every consideration. We are very often prone to disregard the effect of light on our health, and specially so in these dark

days. Yet when the home is gloomy and badly lit, it is not an unusual thing to see the inmates weakly in health, depressed in spirits, and very often torpid. Light is the best and easiest means of good "armor" to protect them from the fatigues and worries of their working hours.

A lamp should never be placed where it is likely to cause a glare for the eyes. For instance, on a high shelf over the dining-table, to be depressed, unless it is very carefully shaded. Rather have the lighting on the table itself, either in the centre or, where it is even more suitable, at the corners, leaving the middle of the table free for a centerpiece.

Wall lights are becoming more and more popular, and for home use they are taking the place of the inverted head light that used to be so much a feature of the Victorian lighting.

Never were lamps and lampshades so beautiful as they are today. They are now, indeed, becoming actual furnishings of the rooms in which they are put, and as such demand the greatest care in their selection. Also lamps are now, however, standing in and putting before the housewife many different fascinating designs.

Just now the Chinese figure lamps are seen everywhere. They are very attractive-looking; really they are fine ornaments adapted to this special purpose. It is fortunate, too, that they go with so many styles of furnishing.

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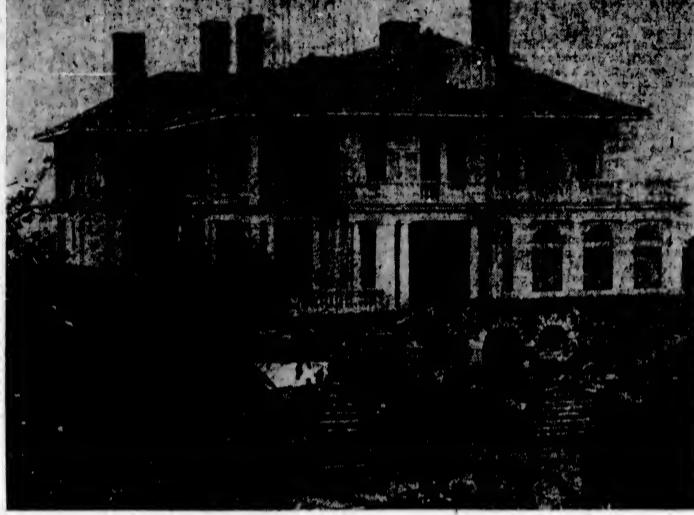
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usually of hand-painted silk with designs resembling those on the vases. These, often of the Empress size, also make delightful ornaments on finial posts, mantelshelves, or an old oak sideboard, or in the centre of a table, where the effect is further enhanced by placing it in a mat or lengthened embrasure. Similar in style to the decoration of the lamp.

The vase idea is also responsible for the large vases made entirely of silk, again frequently pasted with Chinese designs. These lamps are sometimes so large that they are actually used as floor lamps and to replace gracefully among cushions in a corner.

Cut glass lamps have a charm all their own, and are also much in vogue at the moment. Those of the bijou size often have the shade of cut glass. They diffuse a soft radiance, and are very effective.

Hand-carved wood, very often gilded and colored, is employed for other attractive lamps, and their shades are often confections of shot effects which georgette, satin, muslin or lace play their part. Or, maybe, a lovely mat of lace, lace and silk composed of shade, which may be ornamented with little floral blouses, beautiful and natural in effect.

Hand-painted parchment shades have much to command them, and it depends considerably on the room as to what manner of design will be most appropriate. They vary greatly from beautiful floral patterns that surely belong to the boudoir, and all kinds of Egyptian and Chinese designs that are perhaps better fitted for the morning room or even the library, though for this latter room a pink or colored one is often to be preferred.

All kinds of eccentricities are to be seen in the modern lampshades. There are, for instance, those made entirely of colored feathers; and satin pearl-like shades are utilized in making very attractive shades, and give a wonderfully transparent appearance when the lamp is lit.

An affection that will especially appeal to the womenfolk are the "little lady lamps." They are beautifully modelled dolls dressed in crinoline fashion, the skirts of which form the shade. The doll is very thin, and the modeling is in every case, most pleasing. Sometimes the dainty figure fixed on a stand holds a sunshade over her; this then forms a shade for the lamp. Very original are the latest bird lamps. They are most wistfully and covered with silk, most rhythmically painted.

Finally, there are lamps merits extremely careful attention, for countless as their artistic possibilities may number, in like proportion also are the pitfalls for the unwary. Great care must be taken on the need for the lamp to harmonize with the other features of the room. Its color must repeat that of the carpet, or by way of contrast it may emphasize a color which appears only in a very small amount in, say, the cushions or the table ruffles or the frieze which receives an ungracious look.

And, a word of warning! No matter how attractive a lamp as such may be, it must not be chosen on its merits alone, irrespective of its suitability to the interior for which it is intended.

In like manner, too, the character of the lamp should harmonize with the room. For example, the daintiest little crinoline lady is thoroughly unsuited to the library, just as an ornate Egyptian lamp would be completely out of place in a simple Old English interior. A reversal, however, makes for harmony.

### STUDYING ABROAD

Members of the Institute of British Decorators have arranged visits to France and Spain for October. A considerable party will make each tour, inspecting and studying the ancient buildings and collections with which those countries are so richly endowed. The party will include a senior member of the Institute, which has its headquarters at Painter's Hall, the ancient home of the Painter-Stainers' Company, near the Mansion House.

Chivalry may have overdone the thing at times, but it didn't sit in front of the house and honk.

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## AUTUMN CHANGES FOR THE HOME

### MUCH INGENUITY WITH LITTLE EXPENDITURE

Refreshing Summer Interiors Easily  
Changed to Winter Comforts, Says  
Local Furnisher

The manager of one of Victoria's largest home-furnishing establishments says, in regard to the National Home Beautiful Week, which will be held from October 20 to 25: "The art of good furnishing is precisely the same as the art of good dressing. It lies in the ability to achieve good results with the minimum of expense. In cases where the strictest economy has had to be exercised and the results are of outstanding merit that credit is most deserved."

"And, therefore, as we rapidly approach the days when the outside world ceases to fascinate us, when our eyes turn towards making her home more comfortable, we can, the very first thing she must do is to take stock of her home as it is now before she can in any way scheme out her plans for the future. Emphatically, reconnoitring is essential."

Various Color Schemes

"In the first instance: what of the walls? What is their color? Is it a warm yellow, a friendly red, or a cool blue? Or, did our optimism in the spring lead us to selecting a clear white, a sedative blue or a cool green? If the former, then there is already the nucleus of a scheme, comfort-suggesting and cosy to a degree; if on the other hand, the latter, then there remains only one way open to us. It is this:

"The white must be made less rigid by the judicious introduction of warm colors—orange, yellow, crimson, brown, etc.—in fairly liberal proportions. The blue must be mingled with deeper blues, varied with amber and golden brown, and the cool green with deeper greens, and the like. In making shades of pink and red, or primrose and orange. In short, warm colorings must be introduced in such a way that the chilliness of colors are counterbalanced.

"How are the colors to be brought into play? In the case of walls which are quite plain, their color note can find expression in friezes, moldings, etc. Or did our optimism in the spring lead us to selecting a clear white, a sedative blue or a cool green? If the former, then there is already the nucleus of a scheme, comfort-suggesting and cosy to a degree; if on the other hand, the latter, then there remains only one way open to us. It is this:

"Having thus struck the keynote of color, the fabric as it were can be relied on to take it up in a resounding chorus. Away with the chilblains net curtains of Summer, and in their place bring forward the warmer velvets, velveteens, and damask.

"Cushions do not have it all their own way. There should be a sequence of color, and chair coverings, cushion covers, table runners, lamp shades and such like must all pick up the general idea, here emphasising yellow, there suggesting brown, and so on.

"Make an all-over carpet undoubtedly does for comfort, warmth and wear, though resources may not run to a thick Wilton or Axminster. It should be remembered that there are excellent substitutes in the form of hair-carpets and are felt, both of which are extremely reasonable in price.

"There still remain many devotees of the polished floor and to them there is but one remark: Let there be no economy in rugs. Thick in texture, warm in coloring and a goodly sufficiency of them, and then the floor will not look chill and unfriendly, as so often is the case."

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## TREATMENT OF INTERIOR WALLS

### PROPORTION AND DESIGN ADDS TO EFFECT

Choosing of Wallpapers Should Re-  
ceive Consideration—Cost Re-  
duced Considerably

National Home Beautiful Week is an opportune time to decide on the particular treatment to apply to the walls of any given room. The happy days when certain rules were accepted without question are past, and what the late Anatole France describes as "the infirmity of thinking" has succeeded, says a well-known decorator. No longer are we content to leave our religion, our health, or the decoration of our houses or persons to the people who have no time to do it for us; we want to have a finger in the pie ourselves. The results are sometimes not entirely happy.

We no longer allow the paperhanger or decorator to tell us which papers are "suitable" to a drawing-room, which to a dining-room and which must only be used for bedrooms. We use the individual's taste, to express our individual fancies, and when we have taste coupled with a certain amount of knowledge achieve some very pleasant effects; we have seen a bathroom paper triumphantly carrying it off as dining-room paper; but the scrapping of doors has led inevitably to certain amount of chaos and a number of real tragedies.

Then, too, we have had our ideas unsettled during the war, when the high price of wallpaper, the uncertainty of delivery and the scarcity of skilled paperhangers, caused us to fall back upon the comparative safety of color-washing or distemper. It is a common belief that color-washing is only for kitchen, pantries or for unfurnished bedrooms.

We had a crop of plain-washed rooms, a certain passionless austerity of decoration, in which a few very small pictures with very large mounts were reluctantly permitted to fall back upon the comparative safety of color-washing or distemper. It is a common belief that color-washing is only for kitchen, pantries or for unfurnished bedrooms.

Gradually, however, we have been returning back to normal conditions. It is now possible to order washable papers from pattern suppliers with a fair certainty that you will be able to obtain the paper of your choice at a price not greatly in advance of the pre-war rate. Labor is still dear, but no more so in paperhanging than any other skilled labor, and one may quickly realize the cost of laying out and distempering a room is equivalent to papering that room with paper at about one dollar a piece, so as regards cost there is not much in it. It should be remembered when choosing washable papers that very laborious and complicated designs cost more to hang than a simple paper which does not require a great deal of matching, and also papers with a big repeat necessarily have a larger wastage than plain papers or those with an all-over design.

If these facts are borne in mind when choosing wallpaper a good many unpleasant surprises might be avoided when the day of reckoning comes.

### THE WOMAN IN THE HOUSE

When a man, after long baptism of bachelorhood, in that cruel year which so often spells confirmation plumb to manhood, the married condition long defers, creation of usage is the all-pervading presence of the "woman in the house."

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They are yours, yours in the right of another; and more than the wedded service, more than the joint honeymoon, the convey their message of entire intimacy. They are very comforting to a man—sometimes—R. A. Foster-Melliar, in "Life and Letters."



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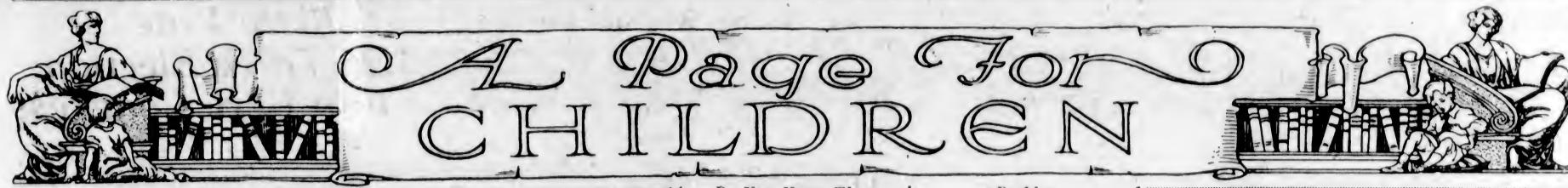
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## Groch Owen

A Tale of a Welsh Coal Mine

By H. B. JONES

GROCH—or, as we would call him, "Groch Owen"—Owen rose to his feet as he heard a faint "tinkle-tinkle" approaching beyond his door. Carefully placing his candle-end beyond reach of the draft, he swung the great door open, and a donkey, followed by a car of coal, and his driver passed through. Groch swung the door shut and took down his candle, and set to work spelling out the letters of a toad.

Ever since he had been big enough to handle the heavy door alone, Groch had been working in the great coal mine, which extended from the Welsh coast far under the sea. He was not strong enough yet to pick and shovel, and the older boys did all he could do was to sit in the dark and open the door to let the cars pass through. In case of accident, such as an explosion of the deadly "fire-damp," the doors were shut all through the mine, to keep the fire from spreading.

Groch Owen, whose real name was David, was a boy of hair, which counts for his nickname. But he also had an ambition to get out of the mine, to amount to more than an ordinary miner, like his father and brothers. So out of his meagre wages of four shillings a week he saved up to buy a lot of old candle-ends and oil on two occasions, an alphabet first. And as he learned to read, very slowly, sitting down in the dark all day, in the intervals between ears.

But today, somehow, everything seemed wrong. What good did reading do him? Could he ever amount to more than a boy of hair? As he was thinking thus, he heard a sound of running feet in the gallery, and a cry. He opened the door quickly, and little Gwilym Jones, who kept the next door farther on, dashed in.

"Run, Groch," he panted, "the fire-damp has exploded in the South Gallery, and the men have gone up the main shaft. We must run down the shaft in this heading, and get them out the West shaft." There were two entrances by which the miners entered the mine.

Groch gasped. His father and brothers were working in the South Gallery—the one where the explosion occurred! But he followed Gwilym, who had ready disappearing in the darkness, for a moment, then hesitated. What if his father had been shut up with the other men by falling rock, and had to stay there until the rescue? Supposing they had been separated from their food—then he remembered that last night his father had said that now they were all keeping their lunch-baskets together at the end of the South Gallery.

Without thinking of danger, Groch ran swiftly to his door, and, crouching it carefully, then sped down the gallery. He passed through Gwilym's door, then on into the main shaft. Strange, but he could not smell any smoke, and if the South Gallery was on fire, the other gallery was not, too, with smoke! But he extinguished his lamp, and he had the way thoroughly, and did not want to run any risk from the fire-damp. On through the galleries he passed, and at last, without perceiving the least sign of gas or smoke, reached the entrance to the South Gallery.

He met no miners, and the others had evidently ascended to the surface in safety. Groping about he found a pile of lunch-pails and baskets, and then, just beyond the next door, a pile of fallen coal. Now he understood! There was no fire, but the roof had fallen, and the excited boys at the surface had been shouting for help, an explosion had taken place, and the other men were blocked in, there behind the piles of stone. And their food and drink was all outside.

The boy stood and thought a moment, then began to climb a pile of fallen coal, as he drew near the roof of the gallery, as suddenly he came stilled and faint, and he retreated hastily, for he knew that the fire-damp was there.

There was nothing he could do. The fire-damp was fast filling the gallery, so he turned and made for the main shaft. He moved slowly in the dark and while he thought he had run a long time, it was not more than a few minutes since Gwilym had fled. Reaching the shaft, he signalled for a cage, and before long it came down, and took him to the surface.

Stepping out into the sunshine, Groch found everything as it was. The manager and superintendent had been down at the village when news came of an explosion at the mine, and though they made all possible haste, they were just coming into the year, as Groch appeared. Following the course of the mines and families of the miners, hastening up to learn the fate of their loved ones.

Rushing up to Mr. Swift, the superintendent, Groch told his story. Mr. Swift turned to the other men and boys crowding around, and rated them soundly for deserting their posts and not having the courage to ascertain the truth of the disaster. The boy was scolded, and it was found that the father, two brothers, and a cousin of Groch's were entombed, together with three other men. Mr. Swift looked grave.

"My lad, there is need of boys of your calibre above the surface, not hidden away beneath the earth. You

have saved the lives of seven men and the mine stands greatly in your debt. I have spoken to the president of the company and he has told me to tell you that you will be given an education at the nearest town, and when you are fit you shall go into the office under me. Your father is a proud of his son, and leaves the choice to you. What do you think about it?"

And Groch had attained his ambition.

—The Boy's Own Paper.

### A Noble Service

The people of the British Isles have been celebrating this year the hundredth anniversary of the foundation of the National Institution for Saving of Life at Sea.

The great service which has lined the coast with lifeboats and provided money to reward heroes and pay the crews was founded through the efforts of Sir Edward Hillary, of the Isle of Man. This gentleman went out himself to save life from wrecked ships till he was sixty-four and won three gold medals for gallantry.

It was on March 4, 1824, that the society was founded. Among the first members was William Wilberforce, who taught British people that slavery was wrong and persuaded the nation to buy the freedom of slaves from their owners.

A thousand stories of heroism could be gleaned from records of the work of the lifeboats. Men and women volunteers and men of the coast guard stations in the last hundred years have given their services to the cause of their own safety.

It is good to think that the life-savers were usually young men with big, tender, loving hearts.

Around the 5,000 miles of coast of the British Isles 60,000 lives have been saved from a watery grave by the volunteers and men of the coast guard stations in the last hundred years.

Mr. Swift said the old miner with whom the passage was to the other gallery, the one in which he had de-clared this to be the spot. A miner struck the wall with his pick; it was hollow. Then the men went to work with a will, and in a moment had picked a hole into the wall. But a terrible gust of gas issued forth, and the men looked as each other in alarm. Mr. Swift said the old miner with whom the passage was to the other gallery, the one in which he had declared this to be the spot. A miner struck the wall with his pick; it was hollow. Then the men went to work with a will, and in a moment had picked a hole into the wall. But a terrible gust of gas issued forth, and the men looked as each other in alarm.

Mr. Swift looked down at the boy. "It is terribly dangerous, my lad, but I am sure you will try it." Then he sent to the surface for a coil of light rope, water and towels. When these arrived, Groch wrapped his head well in the soaked cloths, tied the rope round his waist, and wriggled through the hole.

He was as close to the ground as he could, he made slow progress forward, and little Gwilym Jones, who kept the next door farther on, dashed in.

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Three days later Groch was in Mr. Swift's office. The superintendent had heard of the boy who kept a book by the door, and who taught himself to read thus, and he was saying to Groch:

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Junior Class, ages 9 to 11 years—Any design in black and white appropriate to Halloween in a border not more than seven inches by three inches.

Senior Class, ages 12 to 15 years—Any design in black and white appropriate for a book cover and appropriate to Halloween, in an oblong not more than six and a half inches by nine inches.

On the book cover the word "Hallowe'en" to be printed.

## A Land of Plenty

ONE of the great wheat-growing countries of the world is Argentina in South America. Like Canada it feeds millions of people in wheat-fields. Ships from many parts of the world come to that port of good air—Buenos Aires.

Let us look for a few moments at the country in South America, the way it is, the way it is changing.

Argentina has a population almost as great as Canada, though in area it is rather less than one-third of that of this country.

Farmers and cattle men from many parts of the world have come to help cultivate the great pampas or pampas of Argentina and to share in the profits of the disaster.

If you went to Argentina in the early Spring from Victoria you would find the people busy harvesting, for their seasons are almost the opposite of ours. The warm weather had shown me this wonder, now that I had found the crook of gold."

The two naturalists were W. H. Hudson and Gilbert White.

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"If you please, sir, about fifteen years ago a little gallery was started off the main shaft toward the South Gallery, where the men are now confined. While running this gallery the workmen struck a vein of fire-damp, and although it was run clear through to the South Gallery, it must have crossed some air-currents for after it was pierced through, it

port, great for that time, began to grow very fast.

The trade in grain and frozen meat brought wealth to the merchants. Today, the city is one of the richest in the world. It has many fine and very beautiful buildings. Its citizens are industrious and enterprising. There are lovely squares scattered through the city filled with trees and plants from many parts of the world.

The President, Dr. Mercado de Alvar, is one of the world's great orators. He lives in the "Pink House," a fine mansion, during his term of office.

Among the strange things in Buenos Aires is the sale of newspapers in many languages. Not only Spanish and English, but French, German, Italian, Syrian and other foreign newspapers are printed in the foreign American city. One of the greatest buildings in Buenos Aires is a newspaper office.

Great docks are lined with grain elevators and, perhaps, there are few ports in the world which do not send ships to the chief port of Argentina.

Oxen, till lately, did most of the ploughing and threshing as well as the ploughing, for machinery is dear and cattle are plentiful as well as cheap.

Most of the grain finds its way by train or team to the great port of Buenos Aires. Perhaps you will be surprised to learn that the country has a larger population than any except three cities in America. New York, Chicago and Philadelphia are bigger.

Buenos Aires was founded by the Spaniards nearly four hundred years ago. It was made the capital of the country about the time the United States was born.

Argentina threw off the yoke of Spain in the nineteenth century when Napoleon was conquering Europe. About thirty years ago, the

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### Do You Know These Books?

Pechico

When W. H. Hudson, the author, was a child, he lived in Argentina. In "Far Away and Long Ago," he tells this story:

"Our constant companion and playmate was a dog whose portrait has never faded from my mind. He was a dog with features and a personality which impressed them selves deeply on my mind. He came to us in a rather mysterious manner. One summer evening the shepherd was galloping round the flock, and trying by means of much shouting to induce the sheep to follow him. Suddenly he stopped, and, looking up, saw a strange-looking lamb, apparently a pup, which had dropped from the clouds, and limping weakly after the astonished and frightened sheep, drove them straight home and into the fold; and after thus earning his master's confidence and showing what stuff was in him, he was a good-sized animal with a very long body, a smooth black coat, tan feet, muzzle and "specacles," and a face of extraordinary length, which gave him a profoundly wise baboon-like expression. One of his hind legs had been broken, and he had shuffled along in a peculiar lop-sided fashion; he had no tail, and his ears had been cropped off close to his head; altogether he was like an old soldier returned from the wars where he had received many hard knocks, besides having a small hole in his anatomy shot away.

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# Motors & Motoring

## Full Inspection Of Car Essential After Season Use

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### BE SURE AND THOROUGHLY WASH OUT THE RADIATOR

VACATIONS and vacation tours are practically over for 1924 for most automobile owners, but the use of their cars will continue throughout the entire Winter. Perhaps the hardest usage of the year is over, however; and this is the time the automobile should be given a "full wash down," and make adjustments to compensate for the wear of the strenuous Summer season and prepare for Winter driving.

No piece of machinery gets as little care as an automobile. A locomotive makes a division run of 200 miles or so, goes to the roundhouse and is overhauled and greased by skilled mechanics. Ship and stationary engines have experts constantly watching them, supplying oil and giving them attention every moment they are in operation. An automobile is fortunate in that oil and grease are applied in intervals. Motor owners realize this condition and strive to make an automobile a "perpetual motion" machine as it is possible insofar as care is concerned.

But some care must be given even to an automobile. And at this time, after the tourist season, a thorough inspection and several changes of adjustments should be made.

Every nut and bolt should be tried and tightened, as some are sure to work loose through hard season's driving. The engine should be checked and tuned by a first-class mechanic with instructions to make any repairs he finds necessary. It is not likely any extensive repairs will be required, but it is wise to give such orders, as a minor repair bill now will save trouble and a larger bill later.

**Lubrication System**  
Attention should be given the lubrication system, and in most cases it will be found advisable to change the lubricant, particularly in the transmission, to a lighter grade for Winter driving. The oil in the engine should be changed every 300 or 400 miles. In Winter, as crank case dilution is much more liable to occur in cold weather due to the choke being left out longer while the engine is warming up.

The battery should be tested and if the cells are found to be below the minimum the battery either should be recharged or an adjustment made to the voltage. It is dangerous to use a battery in cold weather, and colder days cause a big drain on the battery and it should be put in the best of condition at this time of the year. A fully charged battery never freezes. The battery terminals should also be examined, as they should be cleaned and provided, causing a poor connection. Before replacing the terminals, it will be a good plan to coat them with vaseline.

A check of the electrical system may show loose terminals and worn places in the wiring. The generator, in many cases, should be changed to increased power so that it can take care of the extra demands of cold weather driving.

#### Clean Radiator

It is well to drain and wash out the radiator, removing rust particles and foreign substances collected during the Summer. It then will be ready to receive an anti-freeze mixture when the zero weather comes.

The hoses, all air connections should also be examined, for a leaky hose is liable to cause an ice encrusted engine some cold night.

Spark plugs should be cleaned; and if there is carbon present in the combustion chamber it should be removed at a reliable service station.

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### SPEED TRAP GIVEN KNOCKOUT BLOW IN CALIFORNIA COURT

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18.—A judicial knockout to the speed trap in California has been administered by the District Court of Appeals. The decision just handed down has been received with general acclaim by the motoring organizations that have been fighting this ancient and more or less honorable device for a number of small towns enriching themselves by the speed trap. A test case carried to the court by the legal department of the Automobile Club of Southern California. The contention of the defendant was based on the State law passed in 1923, which states: "Any speed trap is illegal." Evidence is not to be admitted in the court of California. The final decision is a reversal of the lower court.

### FLINT IS PROVING POPULAR IN THE U.S.

**Powerful, Smooth-Running Six-Cylinder Motor Is Among Features That Made Car Favorite**

"The rapidity with which all sections of the country are absorbing the Flint Six Forty touring cars testifies to the correctness of the estimate made last year that the 1924 season would see the character six in the eighteen hundred dollar class come into its own," says W. E. Holter, Vice-President and General Manager of the Flint Motor Company, builders of the Flint Six Forty and its larger companion model, the Flint Six Fifty-Five.

"It is barely two months since the first Flint Six Forty was built in the plant at Flint, Michigan, but already over three thousand of the new models are registered. Owners who are enthusiastic in their praise. In July, the month when it is customary to expect a slight decline in sales, the Flint Six Forty more than held its own.

"The powerful, smooth running six cylinder motor is among the features that have been implemented in winning popularity. A Flint engineer states that its performance has been such that the owners from all sections of the country have written the Flint Motor Company detailing the remarkable stunts of hill-climbing and other tests successfully performed by the Flint Six Forty.

"The unique hill-climbing power in a motor also is able to attain high speeds without perceptible vibration, is possible for several reasons. Connecting rods have been made very long, with consequent lessening of the angle of thrust and smoother operation without loss of power. The design of the cylinder

cover in the Flint Six Forty assures full combustion in a long power stroke. The water circulation keeps this motor well cooled for hill climbing, the water passing completely around and between the cylinders with practically the entire length of valve stems."

"If a person is overcome, take him immediately into the open-air and breathe deeply at the first signs of drowsiness or faintness. Immediately seek the open-air and breathe deeply at the first signs of drowsiness or faintness. If a person is overcome, take him immediately into the open-air and place him in a prostrate position. Unloosen tight garments and perform artificial respiration. Fan the face vigorously. Never let a crowd gather closely about a patient."

**BATTERY SHOULD BE  
CAREFULLY WATCHED**

Temperature Should Not Be Allowed to Exceed 110 Degrees Fahrenheit—Don't Overheat

The temperature in the battery should not be allowed to exceed 110 degrees Fahrenheit. One hundred degrees is a danger point and shows necessity for immediate action and remedy. If the battery is being overheated the remedy is to exercise it by keeping the lights burning when driving. This will counteract the overcharging.

A man's heart may be affected by some other part of his anatomy which is not working right. In the same way a battery may be injured by being overcharged. The electrical system of a motor car. One or more of these parts may be out of adjustment in such a manner that charging rate either lower or higher than the normal is produced.

In the first case, the battery will run down from lack of sufficient food. In the second case, it is being overcharged, which may result in overheating, buckled plates and premature breakdown or insulation. Any mechanical or electrical apparatus may get out of adjustment, and for this reason it is advisable to have it tested from time to time, to see that it is working right.

The man who eats or drinks too much often feels no bad effects at once; at the same time his tissues are breaking down and his vital organs are being affected. Months or years later the breakdown comes. One or more of the parts of the body mentioned will sooner or later make it inoperative, with one or more dead cells. Dead cells mean broken down insulation, the result of buckled plates. One cell usually goes first, just as the sole of a shoe wears through first. However, all are in practically the same condition and the insulation in all cells must be renewed to insure successful future operation.

These are just a few tips to the motorist who is planning tours or long trips.

#### PLAIN HAND SIGNAL

Different sections of the country use different signals. But always remember the car behind you.

You cannot be sure that the man behind you will know exactly what you mean.

But if you put out your hand whenever you are going to make any change in your course, either in direction or speed, that will give warning to those behind.

The man who cuts a left corner is taking a dangerous chance.

### MANY THINGS TO FIND OUT WHEN BUYING CAR

Numerous Factors Total to Determine  
Resale Value of Autos Says  
Expert—Some Hints

What will your car bring when you trade it for a new one? In the early days of possessing a new car, with its new finish and sparkling trimmings, few motorists give full thought to just how advanced in design that car happens to be, points out Mr. W. Tait, of Tait & McRae, local Oakland dealers.

As a matter of fact, the advanced features incorporated in a motor car really determine what the car will bring a year later, or two to three years later, Mr. Tait declares.

"One major improvement that makes for safer riding or more comfortable driving or adds to the life of the car is the most important missing factor," he states, "but rather the sum total of all the vital improvements that good engineering and actual demonstration have proved to be worth while."

"Judged by this standard there are a few cars on the market today that are at least a year in advance of the field."

The following questions should be asked by every motorist in purchasing a car:

Is it safe? Today any unprejudiced motorist will agree that the answer to this question must include four-wheel brakes—the most important feature of a car improvement brought out in 1924.

Is the car finish durable, and if marred, inexpensive to repair? There has been invented recently a material known as wax varnish which eliminates the necessity of using varnish on the car. This finish is already standard on a few cars. It is impervious to the damage of the elements such as rain, sand, gumbo mud and sunburn—and has withstood demonstration after demonstration.

Is the car beautiful in line and interior finish? Unless it has the beautiful, modern lines and artistic interior equipment, its value will decrease in a short time. To the used car buyer, beautiful body lines are more obvious than any other feature.

Regardless of how much more important other features.

Last—and probably most important of all, what kind of a motor and chassis has the car? What constitutes a good motor is a long story, but is readily discernible by a good mechanic. You will be fairly accurately informed by the reputation a car acquires as to what kind of power plant it possesses.

**Inspect Auto While Touring**  
It is of the utmost importance that the automobile camper give thorough attention to the condition of his automobile while on the road. On automobile touring and camping, especially on long trips, as every veteran motorist will admit, the wear and tear on the automobile is astounding.

Gasoline Economy  
There are ten rules for saving gasoline and, obedience to all of them ought to result in cutting gasoline bills at least one-quarter. These rules are:

Keep tires well inflated.

See that brakes do not drag.

Be sure connecting rod bearings are all right and are well lubricated.

Keep engine valves ground to seat.

Coast whenever possible. Keep

well.

Keep engine cylinders clean and free from carbon.

Adjust the spark plug points to .025 of an inch apart.

Keep tires well inflated.

See that battery is well charged.

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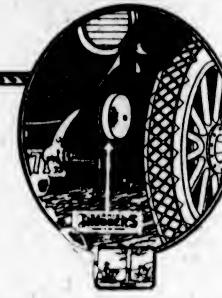
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### OLDS GIVEN SEVERE TEST IN AUSTRALIA

"Cannibal" Baker's Transcontinental Tour is duplicated in the Antipodes

A transcontinental run, similar to the one made a year ago by "Cannibal" Baker in an Oldsmobile from New York to Los Angeles in sealed high gear, has just been completed in Australia, according to word received last week by Mr. W. Davis of A. Davis, the local Olds distributor, from the Oldsmobile factory in Oshawa, Ontario.

The Australian record was made under direction of Boyd Edkins, Ltd., Oldsmobile dealers in Sydney, Australia. The car used was a strictly stock model with first, second and reverse gear, transmission and coverd distance of 2,000 miles from coast to coast. The Australian dealer cabled to the Olds Motor Works that he believed the Australian trip far more grueling than the trip made in America because of the bad mountain roads, seventy-five per cent of the distance being in sealed high gear.

In the record-breaking run made last Fall in the Oldsmobile driven by "Cannibal" Baker, some of the worst mountain roads in this country were successfully negotiated during the 3,674-mile trip. The average fuel consumption was 28.7 miles to the gallon of gasoline. Only one and one-half miles of oil were used. Upon its arrival in Los Angeles this same Oldsmobile made a record speed trial of sixty-eight miles an hour on the Bakersfield Hill Speedway, and then made a trip of 481 miles from Los Angeles to San Francisco in ten hours and forty-nine minutes.

Since then the car has been touring the country under supervision of Oldsmobile distributors, and now, at the conclusion of its first year of service, more than 20,000 miles—equal to six years' average driving—have been recorded on its speedometer.

Recently the Oldsmobile reached Muskegon, Mich., where it was taken to the plant of the Campbell, Wyant & Cannon Foundry Company, manufacturers of the cylinder castings used in Oldsmobiles. There the car was inspected by the firm's supervision staff, who pronounced it in perfect running condition. Before leaving the Muskegon foundry, officials were driven up one of Muskegon's steep "test" hills with the car running in sealed high gear, and again in high gear from start to finish.

Automobile engineers estimate that the car has given the equivalent of ten years' ordinary driving.

"BOULEVARD STOP" IS RAPIDLY SPREADING

New Ordinance Requires All Cars Before Entering "Main Thoroughfare," Shall Come to Dead Stop

The rapid spread of the "boulevard stop" by ten of regulating traffic cities has served to emphasize the importance and advantages to the driver of quick getaway and ease of gear-changes.

Many cities have passed these ordinances, which require that every car before entering a "main thoroughfare" shall come to a dead stop and then proceed at a speed slow enough to permit its being brought to a standstill within its own length. The result is to speed up traffic on the through streets, as well as to decrease the risk of accidents caused by drivers looking out of side streets without proper regard for approaching vehicles.

In most cities the ordinance is strictly enforced, penalties being exacted for violations even when the driver is not coming out of the cross street and can clearly see that there is no traffic on the main highway.

Drivers on the side streets, in effect, are compelled to enter a main thoroughfare in low gear, with the result that many motorists are learning for the first time the value of low gear and shifting easily and safely.

It is of advantage to shift into low gear even before the car has made its momentary stop.

There has been some objection to the new regulation, principally from drivers who have found that, though they have been driving cars for years, they really never have learned how to shift from high or intermediate to low.

UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN AUTOMOBILE TRADING

In these days of big business deals and over-night fortunes, one is not surprised at anything, but—

the peculiar quietude of the noon-hour recess from business

business, the boss of a big commercial establishment was enjoying the fragrance of his after lunch cheroot.

The dor to his private office stood slightly ajar, and from beyond came the occasional bustle of the office as the one-clerk left behind to guide the progress of the business during the lunch hour. Suddenly through the open window behind him came voices.

"I'll trade you one of my Marmons for a Ford."

Here was big business to be sure—but there must be a catch in it somewhere. The business man rubbed his eyes. "What's the catch?"

He was even more astonished.

"I haven't got a Ford to spare, but I tell you what; I've got two Hudsons and a Studebaker I don't want, and I'll swap you for a Chevrolet."

Here was big business with a vengeance; the commercial man decided he must get a look at the perpetrators of such heathen bargaining. He stepped to the window, and below him on the sidewalk was his own boy with a telegraph messenger. The boy was swapping cigarette cards in an effort to complete a serious.

He returned to the cigar, muttering, "They're on me."

Length of the Wrench Hand.

Do not slip a gas pipe over a handle of a wrench for tightening nuts. The pitch of the threads on the cross-sectional area of the bolt at the bottom of the threads and the strength of the mechanic who does the tightening are all considered in the design of the wrench. The handle of the wrench, however, can be made longer for unscrewing nuts.

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### FORD MOTOR COMPANY OFFERS FREE SEDAN

Farmer Ford Owners Are to Be Given Opportunity of Winning Tudor Sedan—Tractor Second Prize

The Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited, has now been in business for twenty years. During the time 340,984 Ford cars and trucks have been built and the Ford has won a nation-wide reputation for giving satisfactory service.

In our opinion with the public as Ford dealers we have learned that the best advertising we get is the recommendation of a satisfied customer," says the local Ford dealers.

"Many Ford cars are sold on such recommendations, and many more will be.

"If you are one of the many thousands of Canada's farmer Ford owners, here is a big opportunity for you: Ten farmer Ford owners or members of farmer Ford owner families in each rural Ford dealer's territory, British Columbia, will be given the privilege of taking orders for Ford cars, trucks and tractors. Only the first ten applicants for this privilege will be enrolled. You can enroll immediately. Order forms and complete instructions will be supplied to all contestants."

"All you are expected to do is to tell your friends who need a car, truck or tractor of your own experience with your Ford. If they decide to buy, you take their order and send it to the Ford branch in this territory. On each order you will get credit at points at the rate of one cent on the last price of the order. The contestant gaining the highest number of points in each Ford branch territory will receive, absolutely free, a Ford Tudor Sedan, fully equipped, all taxes and delivery charges paid and with 1925 license, ready to run.

"Next highest contestant will receive, free, a Fordson tractor, fully equipped with fenders and belt pulley, ready to work. All contestants who do not qualify for the first or second prizes will receive credit for three points each. The price of the prizes will be awarded in any kind of Ford-made merchandise or in cash. This contest closes December 30. Prizes will be delivered on January 15.

### MOTOR NOTES

"The 1925 Studebaker models are certainly proving very popular with Victorians," stated Mr. Ben Grossman, sales manager of Jameson Motors, Ltd., yesterday. "The South Bend factory is working at capacity and it is hard to meet the demand for Studebakers throughout Canada and the United States. We have only been able to obtain three carloads of the new cars and these were sold before the cars reached Victoria. We are more than delighted with the new models, and we feel that 1925 will be the greatest year in the history of Studebaker."

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Even if you buy a new car next spring, it's economy to put on full-size gum-dipped balloons. They reduce your repair bills and lower fuel costs; increase tire mileage, car life and the resale value of your car. These are facts developed in 5,000,000 miles of actual road tests.

Have your car equipped now for comfortable and safe driving this fall and winter. Specify Firestone full-size Balloons, the original low pressure tire made practical through the special Firestone process of gum-dipping.

To get full mileage from your tires, use Firestone Steam-Welded Tubes. They are leak-proof and help keep your tires properly inflated.

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## The Good MAXWELL

the name of Central Garage, at 741 Flegard Street. His business partner is Mr. Fred Cringan, late of Winnipeg.

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## OVERLAND CAR SETS BELGIAN RACE MARKS

Special Recently Won First Prize in  
Five Kilometres Hill-Climbing  
Contest at Spa

G. Wilford, of the Import Company, Willys-Overland distributors in Belgium, driving a special Overland, won first prize in the recent hill climbing contest at Spa, the race being known as the Cote de Malchamps. This is a climb of about five kilometers with four sharp turns, and averaging about 8 per cent, with a maximum of 13 per cent. The contest is run off from a standing start.

The best record for the climb was 2 minutes 58 seconds, set in 1912, an average speed of 102 kilometers per hour. The Overland's mark was 2 minutes 45.5 seconds, an average speed of 111.5 kilometers, or 69.34 miles per hour.

The entry list in this event included some of Europe's most prominent makes.

At Ostend Mr. Wilford won the ground in the opposite direction.

"flying kilometre" race from a field of fifty entries, covering the distance twice with an average speed of 155 kilometers—96.31 per hour.

Just because the garageman uses a pair of pliers to tighten the screw that holds the lead wire terminal to the spark plug when he inserts a new one is no reason why you should try to go him one better by giving each one of the screws a few extra turns. If a screw is turned down too far it will distract the terminal and actually loosen it.

## COOPER IS FIGHTING FOR A.A.A. TITLE

Fresno Race Makes Award Possible  
for Famous Driver of Studebaker  
Special—Two More Races

Earl Cooper's smashing victory in the Fresno 150-mile road race, in the track record time of 1:25.13, has given him a chance to win the A.A.A. national championship for 1924.

Incidentally, it was Cooper's first race and victory since his marriage on September 21 to Mrs. Jane N. Bailey, the golden-haired beauty from Troy, N.Y., whose team of millionaires turned out to wed on July 4 when flat tire cost him first place after he had headed the field for 42.5 miles, attracted the famous driver's attention and led to the altar.

Cooper's chance at the national championship with the Studebaker Special comes through the most unfortunate accident which has befallen him since he won the 1923 national championship at Syracuse, N.Y. At the time of his death, Murphy had won 1,595 points. Fresno, it has just been announced

by Chairman Richard Kennerdell of the contest board of the A.A.A., gave Cooper 300 points, bringing his total score up to 950, which is 350 points short of his previous competitor, Comer, who has 50 points won at Fresno, bringing his score up to 430.

Scores of the leaders at Fresno, as announced by Chairman Kennerdell, are: Cooper, 300; Hill, 160; Milton, 90; Comer, 50; McDonough, 30.

Standings of the leaders now are: Murphy, 1,595; Cooper, 950; Comer, 630; Hill, 574; Corcoran, 570; Fenger, 545; Milton, 461; Shafer, 380; Harts, 338.

Two more races are to be driven before the 1924 season is closed and the championship is awarded.

On October 25, in the new speedway at Charlotte, N.C., Cooper will face twenty-three starters in the elimination contests. This probably will be his hardest race since Indianapolis. With a victory at Indianapolis, the national championship will be in his grasp.

The final race at Los Angeles on November 27 is looked upon as well within his reach, since it will be driven under conditions at which Cooper is an acknowledged master.

Some excellent recommendations to automobile and truck drivers are made by the Safety Committee of the Chicago Automobile Association.

These rules have been given wide publicity by the Firestone Service and are in part as follows:

"A careful driver maintains a safe and comfortable speed for navigating his car. He does not poke along at ten miles per hour; neither does he drive at neck-breaking speed.

"Slow down to ten miles an hour at all street car lines. Make a complete stop at boulevards—not a near stop, a complete stop. Whenever you see a pedestrian crossing the street 100 feet in front of you, prepare yourself to make a quick stop. You cannot tell what the pedestrian will do. He may become nervous and run right in front of your car.

"Drive at the lowest possible safe speed on streets in which any large number of children are playing. It is a known fact that youngsters become so engrossed in their play that they oftentimes forget to stop, look and listen. And when you least expect it one may run in front of your car and get pinned underneath the wheels.

"With the strides made recently in the design of modern buses, this latest development in the present-day transportation system is now affording service to communities formerly considered beyond the reach of motor buses because of severity of weather conditions. Northern New Jersey, for instance, presented a problem to bus operators because the steep hills and severe grades handicapped operation. Climbing these hills in low or intermediate gear meant a slow and noisy journey. The introduction of speedy, high-powered six-cylinder buses has changed all this.

Because of the high cost of gasoline and oil, taxicabs are being replaced by the drosky, or one-horse cab, in Berlin, Germany. The drosky fare is about half that charged by taxi cabs. It is estimated that there are about 2,100 taxicabs operating in Berlin, as compared with 4,000 a year ago.

Automobiles are sold in Japan on the reserved seat plan. The purchaser of four or five seats with or without driver has the car two days each month at his payment for a year. One these days the holder of the seat tickets may do with it as he desires, just so he does not exceed the forty-eight-hour limit. Many dealers have placed their cars on that basis, and find it is remunerative. The seat holder on his ownership day may return the car to the car and keep it in first-class condition and stand for any trivial damages.

"Say it with brakes and save the flowers" is the slogan being circulated by the National Safety Council which is supporting the one-mile wide movement designed to impress motorists with the importance of having their automobile brakes tested by competent mechanics at periodic intervals.

Stage Director Tells Secret  
NEW YORK. Ned Weyburn, famous stage director of the Ziegfeld Follies, America's greatest stage genius, recently made his radio debut from station WHN, Loew's State Theatre. Mr. Weyburn told his secrets of stage dancing and the production of gigantic spectacles for the stage.

## HUNDRED SUICIDES MONTHLY IN BERLIN

Germand Started at Increasing Self-  
Inflicted Deaths—Birth Rate  
Falls 70 Per Cent

BERLIN, Oct. 17.—Two startling statistical records were published today. One shows that a large number of Berliners are weary of life, and the other that the German traditional love of children and large families, so far as concerns the German capital, is on the wane.

An average of more than a hundred persons a month this year have committed suicide in Berlin. The thirteenth week of the year set a record with forty suicides.

Added to that the birth rate in Berlin has decreased seventy-nine per cent.

Poverty and hard times are given as the cause of both phenomena but "regulating birth" which has become very popular, is a strong contributory factor in the birth decrease.

With the ignition switch off, amperage gauges sometimes show a discharge when no discharge is there. The way to determine whether or not there is a discharge is to connect two wires between the generator and the gauge and if the indicator remains stationary and does not move back to zero, it proves that there is no discharge. Inaccurate adjustments

of the ammeter is to blame, but once having determined no discharge, there is nothing to worry about.

In shopping around for a new car you may hear a lot about torque—that mysterious something that very few people know about. To start with, remember that torque is a turning effort, and that as soon as it is a form of energy. Torque is not the same as horse-power, because in the latter the element of time is considered.

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## With the Makers of Books A Literary Causerie

### MONSIEUR ANATOLE FRANCE

In the death of Monsieur Anatole France the world has lost one of the greatest men of a poet, a clever writer, a man of real, but not brilliant, ability. It is little wonder that his friends and admirers were innumerable, and that his reading public was the whole civilized world. It is felt that most of the readers of The Colonist would be glad to know something of the man himself who has just passed away in the full of years and splendid achievement.

Born in 1844, a most imaginative and highly sensitive child, with charming naivete, he tells of some of his half real, half fanciful experiences. For instance, going to bed was an adventure. "No sooner had I lain down than the strangest individuals began to move in procession about me. They had noses like stork's bills, bristling moustaches, protruberant bellies and legs like a chandeleer's. They came in one after another, in pairs, in threes, in fours, each with a single goggly eye in the middle of his cheek, bearing brooms, skewers, guitars, squirts and other instruments that I know not—I never went to sleep. You can imagine one would not care to close his eyes in such company as that, and yet, here is another marvel! I would suddenly find the room was flooded with sunlight, and no one in it but my mother, in her pink dressing gown, and I could not imagine how the night and the weird folk had vanished. 'What a nice dream to sleep,' my mother would say, with a laugh.' That is most delightful. One loves the little Anatole from the very beginning.

#### His Peasant Strain

It is necessary, in order to understand his temperament and character to bear in mind the peasant strain inherited from his father, which actuated him for a lifetime, and his inherent superstition. In the first books in which he described his boyhood, there are accounts of beautiful and ghostly visions. He holds his father responsible also for his lack of commercial instinct, for although the paternal parent was a bookseller, he never seemed to notice his wife's desire to sell them. His mother, on the other hand, was eminently practical, keen and bright, an excellent foil for her easy-going husband. And she was devoted to her son. She read him the lives of the Saints, and countless fairy tales, sang songs to him, and sang longer than he afterwards gave to the world. To him she was a perfect and beautiful being. If it is true that mother worship begets the greatest men, then is Anatole France no exception to the rule. His mother, his father, his wife, his son, and his grandsons, all brought up in an atmosphere of books, left much to himself or with the companionship of an old nurse, if is not surprising that he was given to reverie and day-dreaming. "From my childhood onward," he says, "I have always been prone with solitude, the thoughts of a glade in a wood, a rivulet in a meadow, was enough to send me, as I sat in my form at school, into transports of love and longing that almost amounted to despair." For he hated his school, the restrictions imposed, the monotony of the tasks. Small wonder that his name figured

but rarely in the prize lists. Head and shoulders have little use for a peasant, and yet dreams according to Anatole France, are of vital importance. "I love truth," he says, in the epilogue of his last book, "I believe that man has need of it; but assuredly he has still greater need of the illusions that change and console, that set no limit to the boundless aspiration. Rob him of his illusions, and man would perish of very weariness and despair." Perhaps Anatole France was one of those who, in the bottom of his heart, believed that the so-called illusions were the real truth after all, for he was to be realized in this life, then perhaps to make heaven worth attaining.

#### A Boy Dreamer

Later on, when he took up the study of the classics, one can imagine his joy over the master poems of Greece and Rome; his dreaming over the mad adventures of the Odyssey, so that he would not hear him not called by the name of "dreaming till on his way home."

"often enough colliding with a boy with his basket on his head, as wrapped in his dreams as I was in mine."

Even when he had struggled through school and was up for his baccalaureat, he lost his opportunity for a violent education, and his inheritance of superstition. In the first books in which he described his boyhood, there are accounts of beautiful and ghostly visions. He holds his father responsible also for his lack of

commercial instinct, for although the paternal parent was a bookseller, he never seemed to notice his wife's desire to sell them. His mother, on the other hand, was eminently practical, keen and bright, an excellent foil for her easy-going husband. And she was devoted to her son. She read him the lives of the Saints, and countless fairy tales, sang songs to him, and sang longer than he afterwards gave to the world. To him she was a perfect and beautiful being. If it is true that mother worship begets the greatest men, then is Anatole France no exception to the rule. His mother, his father, his wife, his son, and his grandsons, all brought up in an atmosphere of books, left much to himself or with the companionship of an old nurse, if is not surprising that he was given to reverie and day-dreaming. "From my childhood onward," he says, "I have always been prone with solitude, the thoughts of a glade in a wood, a rivulet in a meadow, was enough to send me, as I sat in my form at school, into transports of love and longing that almost amounted to despair." For he hated his school, the restrictions imposed, the monotony of the tasks. Small wonder that his name figured

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#### His Early Successes

Adolescence found him nervous, abnormally shy, especially with women, although he was very sensitive to their charms and possessed a natural pedestal to worship at her feet. When disillusionment came, he did not despair; there was always his mother.

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## Scientific and Industrial Development

### Steam Turbine Troubles

The first section of the report of the British Engine Boiler and Electrical Insurance Co., Ltd., on plant failures, is devoted to turbine troubles, and in these pages the record of these will become more and more valuable to the builder.

It is certainly highly creditable to the latter that most of the turbine troubles discussed seem attributable to lapses on the part of the user and in particular to the persistent use of hard water. Properly treated, the steam turbine is not only economical in first costs, in use, and in upkeep, but it does demand that nothing but clean steam shall have access to the blading. This is far from universally recognized, and the report records several cases of failure from deposit on the blading of solid matter, carried over by the steam. Such deposits are harmful in various ways. The least serious consequence is a reduction in the efficiency of the turbine, and cases are on record in which the steam rate had been increased twenty-five per cent by such deposits. The choking of the blades, moreover, increases the pressure drop across them and involves a corresponding rise in the bending stresses. Again, the deposit is not generally uniform, but may be thickest along certain radii, with the result that there are periods of vibration in the flow of the steam. It is suggested in the report that certain failures due to vibration may thus have originated. Moreover, the deposit on the blades increases the centrifugal load on them, and also diminishes their natural period of vibration, which may thus be reduced to coincide with some natural periodicity of the turbine, and failure may thus ensue.

Some interesting figures are given in the report, showing what the actual weight of the deposit was, in one case investigated. It was found that the average weight of a clean blade and its equivalent of deposit was 0.287, on the basis that the deposit on the blade had an average weight of 0.072 oz. This additional weight would therefore increase the centrifugal stress in the blading by some twenty-seven per cent. An analysis of the deposit showed it to consist of calcium sulphate to the extent of seven per cent, whilst there was thirteen per cent of calcium carbonate, nine per cent of magnesium carbonate and four per cent of iron oxide. Other matter made up the residue.

It may further be added that there is much evidence that it is the salt carried over in the boiler and superheater, which are mainly responsible for blade erosion; a trouble from which, according to a statement made by Admiral Oram at a meeting of the Institute of Metals in 1916, naval turbines are free. In one case, described in the report, it had been the practice to add to the water an even amount or six weeks in order to clear off the deposit. The installation of proper water-softening plant would have avoided this expense, and also due to the reduced efficiency of the dirty blading.—Engineering.

### Library Distribution

The spread of "book learning" and the electric truck may be far greater than the poles. Inquiry in the New York Public Library, however, brings forth the information that since 1911, when the main library building at Fifth Avenue and 42nd Street was opened, electric trucks have played a very important part in the activities of this library and its thirty-seven neighborhood branches.

Down in the basement several floors below the big reading room two electric trucks have their stable and each morning they start out on their rounds. One goes up-town to call at seventeen branch libraries and the other heads down-town to stop at the other head-quarters of the library and its other branches. On these trips, the up-town one averages thirty-two miles a day and the down-town one seventeen miles, the driver pick up and deliver those books for which some reader has made a special request. Thus, if the librarian of one of the branches has a call for a particular book or for a particular branch, a request is sent to headquarters and forthwith a copy of the wanted book is dispatched to the branch from which the request came. How much of this is done is best shown by the fact that the two electric trucks handle an average of 800

books a day. Besides this the drivers of the two electric trucks do duty as porters daily carrying about 2,000 letters between headquarters and the branch libraries.

These tasks, in addition to collecting books that have been worn out, form the duties of the New York Public Library's two electric trucks from eight to four, six days a week, and because they are always on the job it is simple to call for any book or call upon the branches for practically any of the more than 2,600,000 books owned by the New York Public Library.

### Compressed Concrete Piles

In the usual method of concrete piling, it is the custom to manufacture the piles some time, eight weeks at least, prior to use to allow them to harden sufficiently, after which they are driven in by a pile driver exactly as timber piles would be. Piling work carried out this way has the advantages of durability and sustaining power, but the delay before the piles can be driven, the space required for manufacture and storage of the piles, the slow and noisy work of the pile-driver, the vibration of the soil, the danger of injuring the newly-made piles in transportation or by excessive driving, and the cost of the piles.

An alternative to the method consists in the manufacture of concrete piles in position in the ground. An iron pipe is first sunk either by driving or boring and concrete is then rammed in. The pipe is sometimes left in position, but there is always the danger of the pipe being broken by the pipe ramming away, and it is preferable to withdraw the pipe at the time the pile is made. The concrete is introduced in layers and is tamped by a rammer sliding in the pipe. During ramming, the pipe is gradually raised, never, of course, being withdrawn above the level of the concrete, and the effect of the ramming is to force the concrete into the surrounding soil, thus greatly increasing the bearing power.

The advantage of piles manufactured in this way are many. Work can be started at once and without special arrangement for the removal of vibration. The piles can be applied in the immediate vicinity of inhabited buildings, and for underpinning existing structures on insecure foundations, while by using short lengths of pipe screwed together, they can be sunk inside covered or confined spaces. Moreover, they are cheap and work rapidly with such a pile driver as is used in the ramming process. This way, in entering the raw concrete and there is a great liability of the cement being washed out, not only at the foot of the pile, but throughout its entire submerged length.

In order to retain the merits of the rammed pile without the drawbacks, the Pressure Piling Company Limited, of 50 Pall Mall, London, S. W. 1, are introducing a system in which the concrete is consolidated by means of compressed air. The piles are made in heavy boring tubes, of 10, 12, 16 and 20 inches internal diameter. The lowest section of the tube is cut off and the top section can be closed by a blank flange. The working lengths of the tubes are from 6 feet to 12 feet. Sinking is done in the usual way by means of boring tackle, the tube at the same time being forced down. When the required depth has been reached the ramming is stopped and the top of the tube is inserted. The top of the tube is then closed by the flange mentioned, this flange carrying certain pipe connections. From one of these connections a pressure pipe descends to the bottom of the tube. A second connection admits compressed air to the subsoil water out of the tube and out of the earth surrounding its lower end. Cement mortar is then forced in through the pressure pipe until the tube is filled to a level sufficient to balance the subsoil water. The flow of cement is then stopped, and air at a pressure of 140 lb. per square inch admitted through the tube to the top of the tube. This forces some of the cement out of the lower end of the tube and drives it into the surrounding soil, thus forming a club-foot for the pile. So effective is this method, that piles which have been dug out have had to foot over two and a half times the diameter of the pile, thus enormously increasing the sustaining power of the latter.

After the foot end of the pile has been made, the pressing of cement into the tube is continued. Finally, the tube is withdrawn. This is not done mechanically, but is effected simply by increasing the air pressure until the tube slips upward over the cement.

During this operation, the high air pressure not only causes the concrete to fill immediately the annular space left by the tube, but also drives the concrete into any cavities or yielding places in the earth down the side of the bore. The consequence is that the frictional grip of the sides of the pile is greatly increased. The method of withdrawing the pipe, and the pressure of the air on top of the concrete prevent any tearing of the latter. The new system appears to offer considerable practical advantages, not only by facilitating the construction of thoroughly-anchored piles with full reinforcement, and by providing the most effective end and side resistance to motion, but by enabling piling to be carried out under conditions which preclude the use of any other method.—Engineering.

### Amateur Wireless Transmission

The subject of Dr. W. H. Eccles' address delivered on September 24 to the Radio Society of Great Britain, although only directly concerning the amateur wireless transmitter, is nevertheless of some general interest as an example of the manner in which the restrictions of a Government Department may interfere with scientific progress. In the past, it appears, British amateurs had been using licensed in spite of numerous restrictions as to power, wave length, times of working, etc., and had managed to communicate over great distances with almost incredible low powers, and as an example of the utility of their work, Dr. Eccles pointed out that the commercial use of short waves for long-distance transmission has been the outcome of attention directed to the matter by the results of amateur

experiments. Recently, however, a further important restriction has been imposed by the Post Office on the activities of amateur transmitters, who are now only permitted to transmit between headquarters and the branch libraries.

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### Swiss Electric Railways

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The remedy, Dr. Eccles suggested, was to revise the existing regulations in the light of the experience of other progressive countries, so as to give freedom, and, of course, equal responsibilities, to those of their fellow-workers in the United States, France, and elsewhere.—Engineering.



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# Plays and Players

## Marion Davies' Best Role Is in "Yolanda"

Cosmopolitan Star Again Appears in Charles Major Romance of Ancient France. Supported by Great Cast of Stars—The Life, the Color and the Romance of Medieval Days Are Transferred to the Screen by Remarkable Artistry

THE first Marion Davies picture to be released since "Little Old New York," in which she achieved one of the biggest successes in the history of motion pictures, is a screen version of Charles Major's romance of the days of Charles the Bold, Prince of Burgundy, "Yolanda." This photoplay has been booked for a six-days' showing at the Capitol Theatre, and will have its initial screening tomorrow. It was another picture made from a novel by Charles Major, "Wolff Kriegel und Wölfe in Flores," that Miss Davies made her big leap into the front rank of picture stars of the day. In "Yolanda," she reveals a charm of personality, a resourcefulness in technique, a mastery of pantomime that even surpasses her work in "Little Old New York" and "Knighthood."

In this romantic masterpiece of the cinema art, Miss Davies is said to achieve new heights in her subtle characterization of the charming Princess Mary of Burgundy, whose plan to be rid of her husband, King Charles the Bold, who whimsically impersonates the character of Yolanda, a burgher maid, in order to

test the sincerity of the love of her impetuous admirer, Maximilian of Styria.

"Yolanda" was adapted to the screen by Luther Reed from Charles Major's masterpiece of the fifteenth century. It was directed by Robert G. Vignola and embellished with settings designed and executed by Joseph Urban. These are a marvel of graceful effect, combined with absolute truth and accuracy.

And the inebriate Innkeeper is enacted by Leon Errol. Others in the notable cast are: Roy Applegate, Ian MacLaren, Gustav von Seyffertitz, Paul McAllister, Mary Kennedy, Thomas Findlay and Arthur Donaldson.

It is said that Miss Davies, in "Yolanda," does the greatest work of her career, her performance excelling in dramatic height her impersonation of Pat O'Day in "Little Old New York," and Mary Tudor in "When Knights Were Bold." A French actress plays the role of the Princess Mary and Yolanda, the burgher maid, Miss Davies is given an opportunity to display an unusual variety and force of acting.

Monday, as usual music lovers' night, will be one of the extra attractions at the Capitol. This week, Mr. Prentiss, the director, has selected a programme that will no doubt please the majority of music lovers, and also a splendid musical setting for the feature attraction, Marion Davies in "Yolanda."

Some of the numbers to be rendered during the evening are as follows: Everett's "Three Dances From Henry VIII" (Ed. German); "Songs From Shakespeare" (Borch); "Three Dances From Nell Gwynn" (German); "Extracts From Merry England" (German).

The management of the Playhouse has been fortunate in securing Mr. Joseph Evans (himself) and the Piccadilly Players for a brief season, opening Monday, October 22, in an unusual spectacular production, "The Monkey's Paw." The manager believes in affording his patrons plenty of variety, and this will mark the inauguration of a new style of entertainment at this popular theatre. Mr. Evans comes direct from England with an enviable reputation for versatility and consummate artistry. Victoria audiences have a dramatic treat to which to look forward.



FLORA LE BRETON AND PEDRO DE CORDOBA  
In a Scene From "I Will Repay." Showing at the Columbia Theatre Tomorrow, Tuesday and Wednesday.

### AMUSEMENTS

The Screen  
Capitol—Marion Davies in "Yolanda."

Coliseum—Henry A. Snow's "Hunting Big Game in Africa."

Columbus—"I Will Repay," starring Flora Le Breton.

Dominion—Adolphe Menjou and Betty Compson in "The Fast Set."

The Stage  
Playhouse—"The Arcadians."

### TAKE THIRTY MONTHS TO MAKE THIS FILM

Thirty Thousand Miles Traveled in Production of "Hunting Big Game in Africa" Picture

No other motion picture production of the current season has so widely enlisted the attention of educators and public alike as the Universal production, the work of two Western studios, which is coming to the Coliseum Theatre this week. "Hunting Big Game in Africa." The above statement sounds surprising about a hunting picture, but the fact is that "Hunting Big Game" constitutes a delightful mixture of history and geography of South and Central Africa as well as a drama from life.

Henry A. and Sidney Snow, father and son, of Oakland, Cal., were the men who took the pictures. They sailed from the Pacific Coast in 1919 and spent two and a half years in Africa. With the novel idea of the African Oliver, more than 50,000 miles and ten different countries were covered. The Snows brought back for the Oakland Museum of Natural History the largest collection of African fauna and ethnology ever gathered. One hundred and twenty-five thousand feet of pictures were taken, of which 10,000 feet with appropriate titles are used in the feature production.

Thousands of Penguins Shown

The picture begins with the densely populated penguin grounds and the sperm whale fishery off the coast, after which the narrative takes up the trek by mule team and oxen from Capetown a thousand miles northward into Bechuanaland. Both the native tribes and the faunal



MARION DAVIES AND HOLBROOK BLINN  
in the Cosmopolitan Production "Yolanda," the Feature Production at the Capitol Theatre This Week.

### WORLD'S BEST LOVED ROMANCE IS FILMED

"I Will Repay" Adapted to Screen—  
To Show at Coliseum This Week  
—Thrills Numerous

Of all the romances that have poured from the pens of fiction writers in recent years it is safe to say that none have had more numerous or more delighted readers than the Scarlet Pimpernel series by Baroness Orczy.

The dashing adventures of the League of the Scarlet Pimpernel, bound together as they do, have been a modern counterpart of the deeds of the age of chivalry—but shorn of the heaviness of the mediaeval knights, and sparkling with a romance that age never knew.

No one can say how many millions of readers—from London to Quebec, and from Bombay to New York—these lively stories have had.

Baroness Orczy's letter bag bulges with letters from eager and admiring lovers from all over the world, and it is safe to say that each publication conjures up an army of purchasers at the bookstalls, or borrowers at the libraries.

Several of them have been staged and restaged again and again. And now perhaps the best of them all—"I Will Repay"—has been adapted to the screen and is showing at the Coliseum for three days only, starting tomorrow.

The film captures all the thrills and romances of the original story, and is played by a brilliant cast, which includes such popular artists as Flora Le Breton, Pedro de Cordoba and Holmes Herbert.

When the onlooker is not absorbed in its excitement—which is very great—he is in admiration for the magnificence and beauty of the production—some of the scenes were taken at Beauvais, the French town made famous as the place where Marshal Pooch was entrusted with the Allied command.

To operate an automobile at its greatest efficiency the engine should be either stopped when running because greater heat is carried off or not turned into power. If the engine is overcooled its power is decreased.

### ONE AND HALF MILLION DAYS LOST IN STRIKE

Labor Troubles in Alberta Coal Fields  
Caused Country Great Loss  
in Production

OTTAWA, Oct. 18.—Seven hundred and seventy-five thousand working days were lost in a coal production of 1,800,000 tons, according to estimates of the Department of Labor, were lost in the Alberta coal field strike, now concluded. The strike continued from April 1 to October 10, when a settlement was reached providing for a decrease of 10 per cent in the half per cent for the men on day, an average of 90 cents per day wage, and \$1.17 per day for contract miners.

Approximately 8,000 men were involved, of whom about 1,500 were in British Columbia. The time lost in the six months and ten days was about one and a half million days out of a total of 2,667,987 for the year.

### PLAYHOUSE

ALL WEEK

THE JOHNSTON COMPANY

(Stage)

Present

Character

of "Home

Wives"

are graphically illustrated by the pic-  
tured details of the hunts. The cap-  
ture of the three little lion cubs, and  
the scene showing how the mother  
baboon "perambulates" her baby,  
especially delight the young folks. At  
the water's edge the untrained tur-  
bines—some of the scenes were taken  
at Beauvais, the French town made  
famous as the place where Marshal  
Pooch was entrusted with the Allied  
command.

(Screen)

The Famous English Actor

**Matheson Lang**

IN

**"Carnival"**

Every Night—Matinee Wed. and Sat.

All This Week  
at Usual Prices

### Hail to the Merriest, Peppiest Show in Town This Week!

Wm. De Mille's Comedy-Drama

# "THE FAST SET"

Adapted From Frederic Lonsdale's Big Stage Play Success

Played by a Tremendous Cast, Including

## BETTY COMPSON

Adolphe Menjou, Zasu Pitts and Elliott Dexter

From the celebrated stage success "SPRING CLEANING," the masterpiece of laughs, surprises and good sense that Broadway enjoyed for over a year. Too good to be true; too good to miss! With King Jazz ruling supreme from curtain to curtain. Follow the crowds—join the live ones.

Comedy  
The Lion and  
the Souse

# DOMINION

Dominion  
News and  
Magazine

Next Week: "CAPTAIN BLOOD"—Sabatini's Tale of the Sea With Greatest Naval Battle Ever Filmed



**"FAST SET" APPEARS  
IN CITY THIS WEEK**

Celebrated Stage Success Converted to Screen Favorite—Showing at Dominion All Week

The celebrated stage success, "Spring Cleaning," which had a record-breaking run of 1,000 performances, and was a masterpiece of laughs, surprises and good sense, and enjoyed a phenomenal run in New York, has at last been filmed by William DiMille for Paramount, with Adolphe Menjou, Betty Compson, Tala Birek and Elliott Dexter in the leading roles. It is based under the title of "The Fast Set."

"The Fast Set" presents a new way of handling an old theme that revolves around the eternal triangle. It is a comedy of smart society life, and the action is moved by a woman who wants to a clever and astonishing method of saving his wife from undesirable friends and of curing her infatuation for a notorious "great lover." From start to finish the picture is packed with sparkling humor and entertaining action.

Mr. DiMille has used direction and deft treatment of the various startling situations so a long way toward lifting this photoplay into the ranks of the super-films. "The Fast Set" will have its premiere at the Dominion Theatre on Monday.

**POET OF PIANO,  
MR. PERCY GRAINGER,  
TO PLAY WEDNESDAY**

It is not merely that Grainger in everything that he plays and does has an intuitive sense of the fitness of musical form, but there is also a delight to hear in the piano-playing of Bach the reed and string and brass stops and pedal basses that constitute the organ. There is in his playing a faculty of organ-like registering as to tone color which is "inspiring" to employ in the playing of organ music. To certain amateur gardeners the harp is a dangerous instrument. So is the pedal to certain professional pianists. Again, as if sitting an organ console, Grainger uses the pedal as Bonnet would use the swell. No chord, no phrase is blunted, nor passage is beclouded when he plays it, while he plays Chopin, Brahms, Liszt or his own works. In high buildings or in long ships, allowance is made by the architect for freedom of pendulum, which the entire structure must have, else the motion of the earth, the force of the wind would end all these structures. This instantaneity is embodied in Grainger's phrasing.

Why? Because he does own a sense of musical architecture, of musical form, which gives him a clarity of conception, which is vision-like, hence inspiring. To say that he is a poet of piano music could suffice. Strong as his musical individuality as a player or composer is, its charm is evanescent and therefore fully expressed by this little word so full of meaning. His playing of the Paganini Variations by Brahms shows again this sense of architecture, again the possible sense of their message, sending these series of thematic developments out to his audience, not as bits of thematic jugglery, but as poetic units, each of them as a poetic ego. Yet one more feature of his programme. Few players create such stirring bass notes as he does yet without any loss of musicality, beauty and sound. And thus to the same principles, he literally "draws" a singing quality from the piano in his Chopin, a quality which once more opens up a new vision of piano playing.

Percy Grainger will be heard at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Wednesday, October 22, at 8:30 p.m., under the direction of the Ladies' Musical Club.

**GRACE WOOD JESS'  
SINGING COSTUMES  
ENHANCE CONCERTS**

A delightful novelty of the Grace Wood Jess' concerts is the fact that all her numbers are given in costumes characteristic of the lands and times in which she sings. Exquisite and delicate as is Miss Jess' art, she is still further enhanced by the lovely pictures she presents in her pictureque garb. At her concert here on Thursday, October 20, one costume of especial interest is a quaint flowered taffeta gown that was once in the wardrobe of Mrs. Abraham Lincoln, who she was maid of the White House. It was given to Miss Jess by a member of the Lincoln family, and is worn when the Kentucky mountain junes and negro "spirituals" are sung. Another delightful costume is copied from a painting in a French book of 1700. It has the full prettiness of white satin, overtopped by close bodice and billowy panniers of rose-figured brocade. A coquettish pearl head-dress accompanies this costume. For her Spanish songs, the singer wears a red silk ruffled to the waist, with a high, inevitable high Spanish comb and mantilla. Miss Jess' Russian costume was designed for her by a Russian artist, and is a delightful contrast to the crinoline-stiffened gowns of the later sixties. Close-fitting skirt, piquant velvet jacket, fur-edged, Russian bows and pictureque head-dress complete the picture of dramatic Russian numbers. Great interest is already evident in Miss Jess' concert. She will give her concert at the Empress Hotel ballroom. The plan for this unique event opens at Fletcher Bros. tomorrow morning.

**LONDON WILL HEAR  
HYENA'S LAUGHTER**

LONDON, Oct. 18.—A broadcast of the London Zoo is to be made within the next few weeks by the British Broadcasting Company. A microphone on a perambulator somewhat resembling a tea wagon will be placed in the lion cage, and the roar and the various sounds transmitted to another part of the Zoo and then to 2LO, the Central London broadcasting station.

In the opinion of experts there will be no difficulty at all in broadcasting such creatures as sea lions, parrots, monkeys, and such. There is no need to have a fish (or even shot these out) and they will roar lustily. Clatter a bone in the cage of the hyena and the jackass, and they, too, will do their best for the listeners in. These creatures have been chosen only after careful tests.

**Telephone "Ham" in India**  
CALCUTTA, India.—The first radio license in India has been given to B. C. Sopher of this city.

# Direct From Its Big New York Showing

# Marion Davies

**MONDAY NIGHT  
Music Lovers' Night  
CONCERT ORCHESTRA**  
A. PRESCOTT, Director

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"Your Lips  
Are Mine  
Forever"



as the  
heroine of  
"When Knighthood  
Was in Flower"

# Yolanda

**In Her Latest and  
Greatest Triumph**

**A Magnificent  
Thriller!**

Here is a film entertainment that not only holds your interest by its gripping drama, but it will leave you breathless with amazement at the succession of beautiful settings that bring to real life one of history's most famous periods.

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It Cost \$2,000,000, Taking Ten Months to Make, and Having 500 Actors, Including 65 Principals in the Cast. It Carries a Love Theme That Enthralls You

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**Free Loge Seats**

The Capitol Theatre invites Mrs. Risher, 143 Government Street, and two friends of her own selection, to be its guests any day this week. Please detach this coupon and present to cashier.

A New Name Every Morning—  
Watch for Yours

## PLAYHOUSE TO GIVE ARCADIANS THIS WEEK

Joey Johnston Comes His Season  
Here With Potted Edition of  
Famous London Success

With the production of the "Arcadians," a potted edition of the great Shakespearean comedy, success, Joey Johnston, the Scottish comedian, will close his season here to start on his all Canada tour.

During his stay here, Mr. Johnston has made some considerable progress. He has shown himself to be a second-rate producer, comedian and magician. This week's bill will measure up to the standard of excellence he has established at the Playhouse.

### SCOTTISH CONCERT PLEASURES AUDIENCE

In Aid of Girls' Club Gifted Artists  
Present Varied Programme at  
Chamber of Commerce

Under the able congevergence of Mrs. Jaffery, assisted by Mrs. A. S. Christie, Mrs. A. R. Brown, Mrs. D. Fair and Mrs. Duncan McTavish, a very enjoyable benefit concert was held yesterday in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, in aid of the Girls' Club, Linden Avenue. This club was organized five years ago last June, with the sole purpose of caring for girls temporarily out of employment. The club is run on voluntary contributions of kind persons.

The programme was most enjoyable, and the many numbers were greatly appreciated, and were encored by the large and enthusiastic audience. Miss Jaffery, in her usual manner, acted as accompanist, and Mr. John Hosie was chairman. Upper Cameron played for all the dances.

The programme was as follows: Selections—Jugend Pipe Band Quartette—"Scots Wha Hae"; Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Miss Jaffery, Messrs. Thomas and Firth.

Vocal Solo—"Battle of Stirling"; Mrs. Robert Morrison Vocal Solo—"Caller Herring"; Mrs. W. H. Wilson

Violin Solo—Mr. J. A. Longfield Vocal Solo—"McGregor's Gathering"; Mr. W. G. H. Firth

Dance—Highland Reel

Misses Ferguson, Grant, Wallace and Sharpe.

Vocal Solo—John Anderson, My Jo"; Mrs. W. H. Wilson

Recitation—Selected

Miss Iona Robertson

Vocal Solo—"Willie's Gaen to Melville Castle"; Mr. Robert Morrison

Vocal Duet—"O Wert Thou in the Cauld Plant";

Mr. Wilson, Miss Jaffery

Dance—Sword Dance, "Shean Trews";

Misses Grant and Wallace, Misses Ferguson and Sharpe.

Quartette—"Wae's Me for Prince Charlie";

Mr. Wilson, Miss Jaffery, Messrs. Thomas and Firth.

### SAANICH RATEPAYERS

A meeting of Saanich Central Ratepayers' Association will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening in Tolmie School. All ratepayers of Saanich are cordially invited. Business will include a discussion regarding the Saanich Police Commission, and matters in connection with the approaching municipal election.

## Royal Victoria Theatre

October 22nd

8:30 P.M.

Prices: \$2.50, \$2.00,  
\$1.50, \$1.00, 75¢. Plus  
10% War Tax. Box Office  
seat sale Monday,  
October 20th. Mail orders  
taken now. Seats  
now on sale at Royal  
Victoria Box Office.

### Concert Notice

The plan for the Grace Wood Jess Concert, opens tomorrow morning (Monday) at Fletcher Bros. All seats reserved.

Direction, George J. Dyke

### BIRTHDAY OF B.C. Carnival Dance

Lady Douglas Chapter  
I. O. D. E.  
Empress Hotel November 19

### NEXT WEEK NEW COMPANY PRESENTS "The Monkey's Paw"

With JOSEPH EVANS  
From Moss's Empire, London, England

### PLAYHOUSE

### 50% of Motor Accidents Are Due to Defective Eyesight

A survey conducted by the California Safety Council revealed the FACT that—

30% of All Motor Accidents in the State, in a given time, was due to Mechanical Defects.

20% to Carelessness, and—

### 50% to Defective Eyesight

While the law still allows such conditions to exist, motorists should act for themselves and in their own and the public's interest should make certain, by consulting an optometrist, that their eyesight is normal and if found defective have it corrected.

Consult an Optometrist



ZASU PITTS AND ELLIOTT DEXTER  
In a Scene From "The Fast Set" at the Dominion This Week.

### ASTRONOMER SPEAKS OF WONDER OF MARS

Mr. William Christie Summarizes Observations of Lowell and Other Authorities

At the first regular meeting of the Royal Astronomical Society, held at Victoria College on Thursday evening last, Mr. William H. Christie gave an address on "The Planet Mars." The speaker opened his lecture with a sketch of the earlier observations of the planet, showing how, with improving optics, and more and more detail became visible on the planet's surface until the canals (which have been misinterpreted "canals") were discovered by the famous Italian observer of Mars, Schiaparelli.

Most of the work of recent times on the planet Mars has been done by the late Percival Lowell and his colleagues at the observatory founded by Lowell for the express purpose of studying this planet, at Flagstaff, Arizona. This location, which is according to some observers, the finest in the world, was selected by Lowell after many years of search, observations of Mars have been made systematically for the past thirty years. A synopsis of the results and deductions from the observations was given.

Lowell showed that the "canals" were real and walled with the Martian seasons, as did the "blue-green areas" thought to be vegetation.

As the white substance, thought to be snow, at the poles of the planet melt with the coming of the Martian summer, the dark areas take on the blue-green tint at the same time. The "canals" near the poles strengthen and become conspicuous objects to the observer working under good atmospheric conditions, and a wave of verdure sweeps down the planet's equatorward.

With the coming of the Martian winter the "blue-green areas" take on the white tint of the polar ice, and lay hidden and as pale as the "canals" themselves.

Recent observations at the Lick Observatory confirm Lowell's deductions that Mars has an extensive atmosphere. No one by Lowell's deductions are being proved correct.

The "canals," though very long, are only a few miles wide, and it is thought they were "laid down with a rule and compass." They have, however, been photographed, thus proving their existence. Mr. Christie exhibited actual photographs of these markings to those who wished to see them.

From the data collected by him, Lowell thought that Mars was the abode of intelligent life, and, water being scarce on the planet, the Martians had been forced to tap the polar snows in order to obtain a supply for irrigation purposes, these canals being irrigated stretches of Aran territory.

The address was illustrated by a large number of slides. The president, J. Duff, announced that the next meeting would be held on November 12, when Dr. J. S. Plaskett, F.R.S., would speak on "Stellar Evolution."

### SIMPLE DIVISION

Husband (going through house-keeping accounts)—But what is the earthly use of running accounts with four grocers?

Wife—Well, you see, dear, it makes the bills so much smaller.—The Progressive Grocer.

A block of coal nine feet high and four feet square was recently shipped to Italy.

### PRESENTS FACTS AS TO ORIENTALS IN B.C.

Mr. J. D. McNiven, Deputy Minister of Labor, Addresses Meeting of Native Sons of Canada

If Ontario had 240,000 Chinese dwelling within its borders, that province would realize in a very forcible manner what the Oriental menace means to B.C. This province, with a population of slightly over 500,000 has 40,000 yellow men replacing that number who work in its industries, and if Ontario had the same numbers in proportion to its population, the number of Asiatics there would reach the startling figure mentioned above. This was the startling information gathered from an address by Mr. J. D. McNiven, Deputy Minister of Labor, to the Native Sons of Canada last Thursday evening. The very large numbers of members of that society present evidenced its keen interest in the matter presented to them.

Notwithstanding that the Oriental question has been the focus of a considerable amount of discussion and is the man in the street, a helpless one, the twenty-eight B.C. assemblies of the Native Sons of Canada are making a live issue of it in the hopes of securing a solution that will replace each Oriental in the Province by a white man and incidentally create another.

Dr. Fewster pointed to the errors of pasturism and the dangerous system of vaccination that had been built up in their teachings.

He told of the death and disease resulting in spite of frequent inoculations during the war, and quoted an instance of this statement. Regarding

the uncertainty of relying on statistics, Dr. Fewster quoted an experience of his own some years ago in Kansas. Among the sufferers in a smallpox outbreak he had twenty-three patients himself, twenty-one of

them being Chinese. The speaker then told of the great religious persecutions of the past had arisen through intolerance and ignorance.

The speaker also drew attention to the danger of state medical control as being aimed at the medical control of the Chinese, and in this connection, he advised against placing too much power in the hands of one party. It was pointed out that the great religious persecutions of the past had arisen through intolerance and ignorance.

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Dr. Fewster closed his address with a delightful tribute to the noble attributes of the animal world of which man is the superior and which, with man himself, are the creation of a Universal Being who regards them with reverence and love.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded to Dr. Fewster for his address and also to Mrs. Groves and Mrs. Heatherbell for contributing to the musical programme. Several new members were enrolled in the local Anti-Vivisection Society at the close of the meeting.

### FIGHT OVER WAR

Chinese Assault Case to Be Heard in  
Police Court Springs From  
Shanghai Battle

The Chinese war has spread to Victoria, at least one battle has been fought here, although the belligerents were limited.

On Wednesday the legal aspects of the situation will come up in the police court. Chong Kai will be charged with assault upon Harry H. Foo, and in turn the defendant will be charged with assault upon the plaintiff.

And all this had its origin in a

said, in sympathy expressed for different, opposing factions in the trouble that are now dividing China.

The first of the charges was called in the police court yesterday, but an adjournment was taken until Monday, pending the filing of counter charges. The marks of the conflict were still visible on the persons of the participants in the fight. They were called upon by counsel to display them for the benefit of the magistrate.

Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., appears for Chong Kai, while Mr. W. C. Morley represents Harry H. Foo.

### LECTURE SEASON OPENS NEXT MONTH

University Extension Association Arranges Interesting Programme for the Winter

The committee of the University Extension Association met on Wednesday evening to make arrangements for this season's programme.

The association desires to open this season with a series of lectures on "Adult Education," by Dr. L. B. Klinck, president of the University of British Columbia, and as Dr. Klinck is at present in the East and will not return until November 1, no definite date can be given. The other lectures will be followed weekly by a series on "Evolution," and one or two of the literature lectures will complete the pre-Christmas programme. Definite announcement of dates will be made very shortly.

The financial statement showed that the financial statement showed that the association will be able to charge no membership fee this season to existing members, and a fee of fifty cents to be charged new members. Membership cards can be secured from Miss Clay at the City Library, or from the secretary, Mr. J. T. Stott, 1919 Crescent Road.

### HIS NOTORIETY

"There goes our most noted citizen," said the landlord of the Teutonia Tavern, indicating an unimpressive passerby. "He has been a candidate for nearly every office in the catalogue and is noted for not getting any of them."—Kansas City Star.

Out of 30,000 cattaway boys and girls who come from Dr. Barnard's Home, in England, less than two percent were failures.

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### The Gripping Melodrama "I Will Repay" by BARONESS ORCZY

England's Dare-Devil Spirit! Her love of danger for danger's sake, is told in letters of fire, in the great Scarlet Pimpernel Novel

### COMING THUR. HAROLD LLOYD IN "Girl Shy"



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Miss Gerry Parker of Los Angeles makes a friend of "Jiggs," the two-year-old ape, and soothes the animal to slumber with sweet California melodies



Col. George Ham, aptly described as the Mark Twain of Canada and the famous raconteur of the Canadian Pacific Railway, recently sailed for England. He has accompanied many potentates through the dominion explaining the wonders of the country



The spirit of harvest is portrayed by Mme. Fiedler, well-known Hungarian character actress



Miss Abby Putnam Morrison of New York is to step from the social register into the program of the San Carlo Opera Company this month. Miss Morrison has given several concerts and recitals



The camera caught this nasty spill just as the rider, Briggs, in the Leinster hundred-mile road race in Ireland, had left his motorcycle and was continuing his journey on hands and knees



William E. Melhorn of St. Louis shook off the hoodoo, which has pursued him in western open championships for years, by winning the classic title in Chicago with a total of 293. The new champion succeeds Jock Hutchison



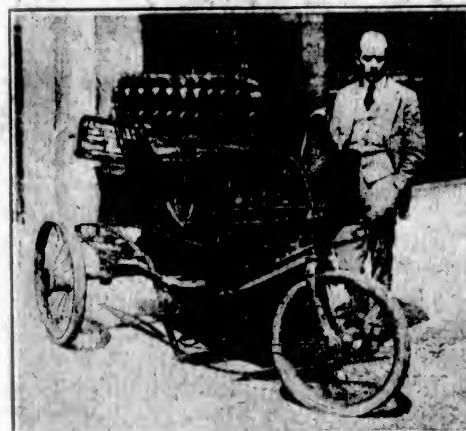
Miss Ruth Malcolmson, "Miss Philadelphia" of the Atlantic City beauty pageant, was crowned "Miss America" in the final contests. She was presented with an automobile by Eddie Rickenbacker, former war "ace".



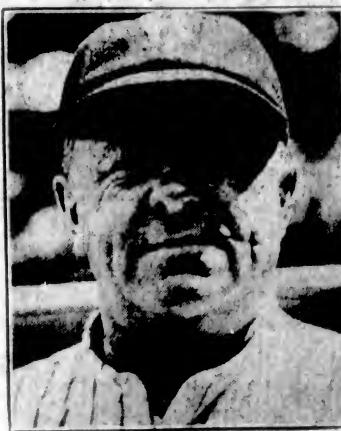
Louis Lacey, Argentine member of the British polo team, will be the field captain in the international matches. He was elected to the post when Major Hurndall resigned the captaincy



The bronze figure of Evangeline has been erected at Grand Pre, in honor of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, well-known American poet, who made Nova Scotia famous with his poem "Evangeline".



Here is one of the first fashionable automobiles with three wheels that is now a treasure at Washington. In 1909 the machine won first prize as the oldest vehicle running under its own power



Uncle Wilbert Robinson, rotund manager of the Brooklyn Nationals, is now being called the miracle man of baseball. Right now he has the Dodgers on the heels of the Giants for first place



The engagement story of Jack Dempsey and Estelle Taylor, movie actress, has struck a snag in the appearance of Kenneth M. Pencock, husband of Miss Taylor. He contemplates a divorce action and civil suit for damages against the champion



Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb are shown expressing their appreciation of an entertainment provided in "bulpen" of the county jail on the last Sunday afternoon concert before hearing their sentence



This party of Seventh Day Adventists sailed for foreign fields in Japan and China recently on the Canadian Pacific S.S. Empress of Canada



Judge John R. Caverley of Chicago, who passed a sentence of life imprisonment upon the two boy slayers, Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold, is shown in a pensive mood while attending the races at Aurora, Ill.



Jackie Coogan, juvenile star, and his parents, sailed from New York recently for Europe on a tour for the Near East Relief Babies' Milk Fund



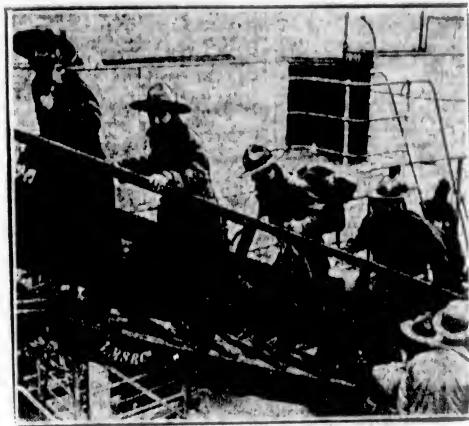
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Here is part of the crew of the ill-fated Hudson's Bay Company ship Lady Kindersley, which went to the bottom of the northern seas recently with her million-dollar cargo of furs. The men made a perilous dash over dangerous ice floes to open seas and were picked up by another vessel.



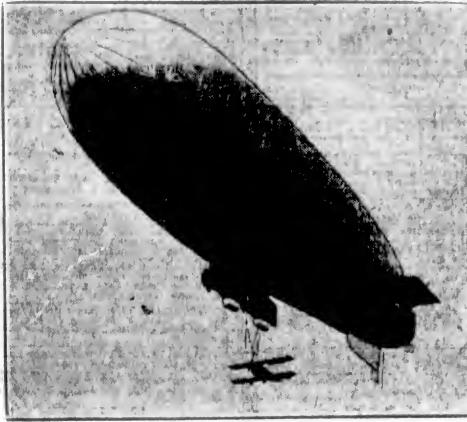
Carl Laemmle, Jr., the son of Mr. Carl Laemmle, proprietor of the Universal Pictures Corporation, is the heir to a fortune of thirty millions. His father began life as a farm-hand



Australian and New Zealand scouts, who have been making an extensive tour of England, and who took part in the great Wembley Jamboree, are shown going on board a liner en route for home



This box for carrying valuable material is the latest police device to trip the bandit in his flight. When the carrier is lifted a powder is set off, which smokes for twenty minutes.



A new chapter in aviation was written at Dayton, Ohio, recently when a plane, hooked underneath the car of an army dirigible, was released and took the air. It is possible for the plane to re-attach itself.



Max Huber, legal adviser of the political department of Switzerland and a member of the court of international justice, has been elected president of the court for the term 1925-27



The Bishop of Truro is shown arriving at St. Agnes, Isle of Scilly, to hold a confirmation service. St. Agnes is the most westerly portion of inhabited England, and is the most remote part of the bishop's diocese



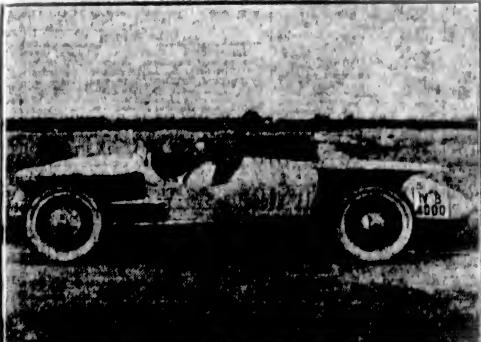
To advertise the opening of a new Sunday school, Rev. John Beleri, pastor of a Philadelphia church, flew over the city and dropped invitations.



Miss Gladys Martin, 20 years old, of Kansas, who represented her city at the international air races at Dayton, Ohio, is the first woman pilot of her state. Until recently she refused to ride in a plane.



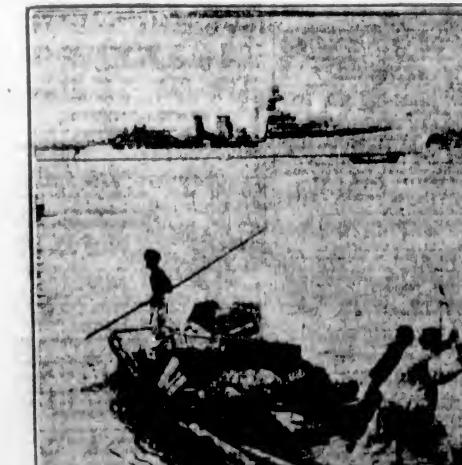
Here is a recent photograph of Baroness Furnival, who contested in the British courts some years ago her title and who won the right to a seat in the House of Lords.



Typical of the racing cars that have been making their appearance in England is this Benz-Rumpler, with the power unit, with engine, clutch, gear box and differential located at the rear end of the car.



Paul Perkin, eleven-year-old evangelist of Chattanooga, who emulates Billy Sunday and flays the sinners among his congregation, is creating quite a sensation in the south.



Chinese refugees in the war zone are shown moving their belongings into safer areas, using sampans as a means of transportation. The scene is Shanghai harbor.



A feature of the racing at Lingfield was the ease with which Tom Pinch, Lord Woolavington's Derby failure, beat a high-class field in the Autumn Handicap. The photograph shows the finish of the race.



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## The Daily Colonist

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# A Mart for Busy Readers—House and Business Property for Sale and Exchange

## FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT (Continued)

BEVERLY BUILDING  
734 Tates St.  
We have still a few nice housekeeping flats, 1 or more rooms, electric light, steam heat, always nice and warm. Rent \$100.00 per month. Phone 4344.

## TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 24 (Continued)

POPAZ Avenue—4 rooms nicely furnished. High location, close to city limits. Rent \$125.00 per month. Phone 4344.

THREE-ROOM cottage, completely furnished, modern, in sheltered position. Rent \$125.00 per month. Phone 4344.

10 ROOMED fully modern comfortable house, garage, servants' quarters, nice garden. A. S. Baker, 113 Fenderston.

5 ROOMED wall-furnished bungalow, 10 minutes from town, hot water heating. Phone 4373. USA.

## POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 22

### POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

BEST prices paid for poultry. Newell Poultry Farm, 401 Dallas Road. Phone 3360.

FOR Sale—Wardrobe, R.R. 1, public, 36x48. H. W. Bentley, 1906 Bremerton.

507 BIMBO Street—2-room, furnished room, heat and hot water. Housekeeping room, heat and hot water.

600 GEORGE—Nicely furnished, heated, two or three-room house, 1000 feet from beach. Phone 4367. USA.

1251 PANDORA—Apartment, two bedrooms, kitchen, bath, gas, phone, 125. Phone 4383 for appointment.

## WANTED TO RENT—FLATS AND APARTMENTS 23

UNFURNISHED flat or small house for rent. Fairfield or Central. Box 2818, Colonist.

WANTED November 1, furnished five-room apartment, all self-contained within ten minutes' walk. Parliament Buildings. Box 5886, Colonist.

## TO RENT—HOUSES 23

620 George Road, 3 rooms modern, heat, bath, gas, phone, 125. Phone 4370.

224 Wilson Street, 3 rooms, modern, with central basement, nicely roomed, 125. Phone 4370.

1214 Yates Street, 10 rooms, modern, heat, bath, gas, phone, 125. Phone 4370.

3020 Fetherston Street, 3 rooms, garage, 125. Phone 4370.

214 Ellery Street, 3 rooms and garage, 125. Phone 4370.

1122 Broad Street, 7 rooms, modern, heat, bath, gas, phone, 125. Phone 4370.

1272 Davis Street, 7 rooms, heat, bath, gas, phone, 125. Phone 4370.

839 Broad Street, 7 rooms, heat, bath, gas, phone, 125. Phone 4370.

1250 Ontario Street, 7 rooms, heat, bath, gas, phone, 125. Phone 4370.

1100 Bremerton and Waddington Street, 7 rooms, heat, bath, gas, phone, 125. Phone 4370.

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**HOUSES FOR SALE** 39  
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**PEMBERTON & SON**  
Pemberton Bldg. Phone 388  
BARGAINS WE CAN RECOMMEND  
1 1/2 ACRES AND 4-ROOM BUNGALOW  
CEDAR HILL ROAD

A FEW minutes' walk from Hillside, car garage is in good condition and contains 2 bedrooms, dining room with open fireplace, living room and kitchen. Concrete base ment. PRICE \$3,000.

WORKMAN'S OPPORTUNITY  
TO PURCHASE

A 4-ROOM cottage in first-class condition. \$250 cash and balance as rent, \$16 per month.

PRICE \$1,250

Full particulars on application.

**PEMBERTON & SON**  
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance  
Agents  
125 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

**DARTLY** furnished 4-room modern house, 2 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, hot and cold water. Basement, with 4 cords wood. Price \$1,250 cash, or \$1,000, terms, \$16 per month. Total \$1,416. Total cost, \$1,600.

**HERE IS A VALUABLE PROPERTY  
GOING CHEAP**

SITUATED on one of the main streets of Victoria, 1 1/2 acres land front on the busi ness section. At one time this property was valued at close to \$10,000, terms \$16 per month, \$1,000 cash, balance as rent will go up to at least half that amount. There is an exceptionally well-built house.

Rooms are all large and bright, with high ceilings, large windows, built-in cupboards and beams, and with numerous built-in features. Three open fireplaces. Five large bedrooms, all room in the attic for three or four additional bedrooms. Large front porch on two streets. This is an ideal family home, with a large garden and fine frontage. It is a real bargain for rooming or boarding house. It is also an attractive speculation at \$7,400.

**SWINERTON & MURRAY**  
Winch Bldg. 449 Fort Street

A SPLENDID BUNGALOW  
COWICHAN BAY

SPLENDIDLY built bungalow house, on two lots, all in garden, shrubs, small fruit and two lawn, lawn in high order, with fine trees, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 large rooms, with hall, panelled and beamed, doors to dining room, built-in cupboard, and large kitchen, pantry and cooler. Large front porch, with fine view, and separate toilet. The fall ceiling, base ment, and windows, and large furnace. Three open fireplaces. Five large bedrooms, all room in the attic for three or four additional bedrooms. Large front porch on two streets. This is an ideal family home, with a large garden and fine frontage. It is a real bargain for rooming or boarding house. It is also an attractive speculation at \$7,400.

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125 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

**FAIRFIELD SPECIAL**  
\$2100—BUNGALOW of 4 rooms, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 large rooms, in appearance and in first-class condition, modern, and with many special features. Fully equipped, all fenced. Terms \$1,000 cash, 2 1/2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 large rooms, with separate toilet. The fall ceiling, base ment, and windows, and large furnace. There is a splendid large veranda and con siderable room in the attic for three or four additional bedrooms. This is an ideal home for anyone requiring a nice home of this description. The price, \$1,000 cash, has been reduced for a quick sale to only \$650.

For further particulars apply to  
B. V. WINCH & CO., LTD.,  
Winch Bldg. 449 Fort Street

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE  
We can offer for immediate sale a most attractive home, close to street, car and beach. 3 rooms, all basement, garage and tennis court. Lawn, large fruit and vegetable garden. At a sacrifice of \$2,500.

**A. H. BARTON** WIRE Co., LTD.,  
8111 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 1601

**CHARMING SUMMER SHACK,  
COWICHAN BAY**

WELL-BUILT, painted inside and out, with two bunks with locks, a small cupboard, a washstand built in, a vanity table, two chairs, a small table, a small washstand, a boat underneath. Very good beach, superb views, and a fine view of the mountains. At cut price, \$1,500. A very good buy.

**C. WALLICH**  
Real Estate and Insurance Agents  
Cowichan Station  
E. N. Ryb.

4-ROOM bungalow, modern, with full basement, lot 188, 1/2 acre, \$1,125. L. U. Conyers & Co., 701 Fort Street.

4-ROOM modern house, centrally located, 4 large bedrooms, built of plumbing, gas, furnace, full cement basement. Price \$3,600. L. U. Conyers & Co., 701 Fort Street.

A FEW GOOD CHEAP HUTS  
\$300—Hut, water, electric, light, furnished  
\$900—4 ROOMS, bathroom, pantry, hall, rent, \$100.  
\$900—4 ROOMS, Bay District, lot 100, water, electric, rent, \$100.  
\$1,250—4 ROOMS, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent at 6%.

**WANTED TO BUY—HUTS**  
\$1,600—GOOD 4-room house, other buildings are good, land, just outside. Many other cheap, medium, and high-class properties wanted.

**H. H. HOGG** 108 Pemberton Bldg. General agent, North Empire and Mount Royal, Victoria.

4-ROOM bungalow, in heat of shape, good, lot, all cultivated, chicken house, good, rent, \$100. JAMES BAY—4 large, lot, fruit trees, lot, takes, \$1,000, with furniture. 1000 cash, balance as rent. C. F. HOGG.

\$1,250—4 ROOMS, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. C. F. HOGG.

**WANTED FOR OUR SPARES**  
\$3,600—ST. PATRICK STREET, Oak Bay—Mud bungalow; 1 well-built, front porch, 2 bedrooms, living room with large open fireplace, dining room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, sink and laundry tub, built-in cupboard, double door, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

**THE CITY BROKERAGE**  
53 View Street Phone 818

\$1,800—HUT is a spendy buy—Fair-Well—Well-built, clean, in 10 minutes in P.O.—Well-built, front porch, 2 bedrooms, dining room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, sink and laundry tub, built-in cupboard, double door, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

**\$3,250—FIVE-ROOM** modern bungalow, beautifully situated, in heat, good, front porch, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

**\$2,750—TWO-UNIT** modern 4-room bungalow, the prettiest, most up-to-date and complete bungalow with open fire; dining room with expansive built-in cupboard, bright kitchen and pantry with built-in cupboard, built-in cupboard, bathroom, built-in cupboard, cement basement with fine heating, 1100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

**WANTED—Five or six room modern bungalow, in heat, good, front porch, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.**

**HARRY AMPLETT** 108 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 5800

**ALL BARGAINS**—108 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 5800

**\$1,950—MODERN** bungalow of five rooms, big living room with open fire, two bedrooms, dining room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, bathroom, lot, easy terms.

**WELL-BUILT** 4-room, 2 large, 2 small, all good size and bright and cozy; 2 bedrooms, bathroom, built-in cupboard, dining room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, sink and laundry tub, built-in cupboard, double door, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

**\$1,500—A WELL-BUILT** 4-room, 2 large, 2 small, all good size and bright and cozy; 2 bedrooms, bathroom, built-in cupboard, dining room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, sink and laundry tub, built-in cupboard, double door, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

**PRETTY 5-ACRE** farm, with 5-room bungalow, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

**\$1,500—A WELL-BUILT** 4-room, 2 large, 2 small, all good size and bright and cozy; 2 bedrooms, bathroom, built-in cupboard, dining room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, sink and laundry tub, built-in cupboard, double door, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

**WANTED—Five or six room modern bungalow, in heat, good, front porch, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.**

**J. H. LIVSEY** (Successor to Grant & Lishman) 108 Bayard Block Phone 581

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**OBEY YOUR DOCTOR'S ORDERS**  
Situate on the very peak of a hill, Gorgeou View of the Strait of Juan de Fuca and surrounding mountains.

**EIGHT ROOMS, RESIDENCE**  
Modern, and Wall Built.

To the party who has been ordered by their physician to live on the high ground, we offer this model home in the country, built and situated on one of the highest residential locations in the city. Large living room, dining room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, bathroom, and laundry on the ground floor. Large, bright, airy room in the basement, with radiator in every room. All windows are plate glass. There are two lots, each \$60 per year by 150 ft. The taxes are \$10 per year. Total \$1,000. Terms \$100 per year. Price \$1,000 cash and the balance to suit purchaser.

This is a gentleman's home, and an excellent producer. Let us show you how we can help you. We will agree with us that this is one of the most attractive properties on the island.

Price is also attractive.

For further particulars and appointment  
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**P. R. BROWN & SONS**  
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents  
1112 Broad Street Phone 1876

**BRETT & KER, LTD.**  
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents  
443 Fort Street Phone 132

**4 ROOMS, CONVENIENT GARAGE AND  
POULTRY HOUSE**

4 acres on the hill, with fine cultivation, there is a domestic orchard in bearing, also an abundance of small fruit, and a large garden. The house is built of stone, with a large front porch, and a separate toilet. The fall ceiling, base ment, and windows, and large furnace.

Three open fireplaces. Five large bedrooms, all room in the attic for three or four additional bedrooms. Large front porch on two streets. This is an ideal

ideal modern home, with a large garden and fine frontage. It is a real

attractive speculation at \$7,400.

**SWINERTON & MURRAY**  
Winch Bldg. 449 Fort Street

**SALE OF 1 1/2 ACRES, RICH GARDEN**

1 1/2 acre hill, and large modern 4-room house, with every convenience, family room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, bathroom, and laundry, all room in the attic for three or four additional bedrooms. Large front porch on two streets. This is an ideal

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**PEMBERTON & SON**  
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents  
125 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

**\$5000—CHARMING COUNTRY HOME**

overlooking sea, with semi-detached, room with fireplace, bathroom, and laundry, all room in the attic for three or four additional bedrooms. Large front porch on two streets. This is an ideal

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**\$2000—CHARMING PROPERTY ON  
THE ISLAND**

2000 ft. above sea level, on the highest point of the island, and 22 acres of land, with fine view, and a fine house, with every convenience, family room, kitchen, built-in cupboard, bathroom, and laundry, all room in the attic for three or four additional bedrooms. Large front porch on two streets. This is an ideal

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**\$1600—ADJOINING CITY, NICE,  
1 1/2 ACRES**

1 1/2 acres, 2 large, 2 small, rent, \$100 cash, balance as rent. EXCLUSIVELY BY HOGG.

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125 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

**\$1750—1 1/2 ACRES, RICH GARDEN**

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# Finance and Commerce

## Brisk Upswing Seen in New York Stocks

Speculators for Decline Cover Short Sales and Issues Are Rapidly Accumulated by Longs

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Stock prices swung upward in brisk fashion in today's brief session as fresh accumulation by operators in the long stimulated cover sales. Longs for the decline, who had sold stocks freely in the early days of the week, Commission houses reported that buying was encouraged by the more cheerful feeling regarding the political outlook, lower money rates and the improvement shown in several lines.

Speculative attention was riveted on the railroad shares by the continuance of high carloadings, rumors of dividend resumptions and increases and reports toward the consolidation of several roads, particularly in the East.

### Active Buying of Conters

Buying of the counters was fairly active just before close. Delaware and Hudson, standing out with a gain of more than 4 points, and Lackawanna, Erie second pfd., Reading and Pittsburg and West Virginia closing 1 to 2 points above Friday's final prices.

Revival of interest in the Rock Island was reflected in the addition of Chairman Hayden of the board of directors, that the road would earn nearly \$4 a share on its common stock this year as against \$1.22 last year.

American Can, again led the pivotal issues by moving up 2 points to 130 1/2. B. St. Steel improved fractionally closing above 100.

Pipeline shares featured the specialty list. Iron products jumped 5 points to 50 and then eased slightly.

### General Electric Gains

General Electric touched 270, closing slightly below that for a gain of 3 points.

Foreign exchange rates held fairly steady in quiet trading. Demand sterling was quoted around \$4.48 1/2, and French francs ruled slightly below 5 1/2.

Scandinavian marks made a regular recovery.

Responding to the easier tone of the money market over the weekend, bond prices scored moderate improvements, though the market was the first to reflect the improvement in the money situation, all issues following the trend of the treasury 4 1/2's, which mounted 9 3/2 to a record high price of 106 25-25. Although easing off slightly at the close, the "Mellons" still maintained a substantial net gain.

Industrial stocks also predominated in other sections of the list.

With the current demand for the new German bonds fairly well satisfied, orders for the issues contracted today and the fluctuation was held to fractions.

All Fractions in Eighths

HIGH Low Bid

Amer. Chalmers 75-3 74-3 73-3

Amer. Can. 130-2 130-3

Amer. Int'l Corp. 16-6 14-5 14-5

Amer. Linseed 77-3 77-3 77-3

Amer. N.H. & H. 10-1 10-2 10-2

Amer. Oil Co. 10-1 10-2 10-2

Amer. Rail. & Rwy. 38-2 38-3 38-3

Amer. Russ. 7-2 7-2 7-2

Amer. Tel. & Tel. 121 121 121

Amer. Water 15-1 15-1 15-1

Amer. Woolens 37-3 37-3 37-3

Amer. Woods 15-2 15-2 15-2

Athlone 100-1 102-2 102-2

Baltimore & Ohio 60-4 60-6 60-6

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California Packing 88 88 88

California Pot. 31-2 31-4 31-4

Cast. Iron Pipe 112-3 112-3 112-3

Cent. Leather 15-2 15-2 15-2

Chandler 23-4 23-4 23-4

Chic. M. & St. P. 14-2 14-2 14-2

Chic. R. & P. 32-2 31-3 32-3

Chic. Upper 31-7 31-8 31-8

Col. Fuel & Iron 42-4 41-5 41-5

Col. Gas 42-4 41-5 41-5

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Col. Products 34-6 34-6 34-6

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Col. Amer. Sugar 39-6 39-6 39-6

Col. Cane 32-2 32-3 32-3

Col. Metal 33-4 32-3 32-3

Col. Steel 54-5 54-5 54-5

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## Why Do We All Crave Conflict?

"Man Is Really a Captive Animal, Deprived by Civilization of the Opportunity to Keep Well by Ranging Over the Wilds"

Instinct for Conflict as Expressed in Business, Games, Presidential Elections, Novels, Movies, Scandal, Divorce—The Silly Conflict of Possessions

Mr. RICHARD WASHBURN CHILD  
U.S. Ambassador to Italy

EDITORIAL NOTE: The view here advanced by Richard Washburn Child is especially arresting, since it is the result of years of thought and experience. And represents a reversal of his previous trend. It is to be remembered that Mr. Child's uncle, the famous author, George Washington Cable, was a man who was born before it was given to him, as a diplomatic, to see in the world's rulers. His purview has been exceptional; his conclusion is correspondingly significant.

YOU are a wolf—a partly harnessed wolf, but none the less than any lower animal. Love may make the world go round half way. Conflict gives it the full turn. This is not a humiliating admission. Mother Nature has made a world with a wonderful rhythm running through it, destined for an upward course—slow, painfully slow, but sure. She would have been a fool if she had not made it a world of conflict. That is our world. A world of conflict. We like to dream of utter peace, we like to believe that struggle and conflict are unnecessary, but a world of utter peace would put an end to the whole programme of Nature. It would put human life into sickly stagnation.

Therefore, if you are interested, as I am, in the kind of human being, your own instincts. Recognize it—your own Instincts. Recognize it—yourself as a creature at the bottom of a creature of conflict. Intelligent men and women will recognize the kind of animal we are trying to harness for good purposes; the last thing anyone of good sense will do is to endeavor himself into the nets of civilization and program and personal development are not merely processes of making harnesses for natures which fortunately still retain all the love of conflict found in the wolf. The whole fairie of wise education and good social organization is really aimed at driving the useful instinct for conflict into human life.

Recognize Your Instincts. I remember seeing Walter Camp, the great sportsman and athletic master. We took a train ride together during the war and he told me he was engaged in working out a series of athletic exercises for the Navy. These exercises, afterwards became the famous "Daily Dozen," while I introduced into Italy, when I was Ambassador into Italy, when the foundation of Camp's theories? It was that man was really a captive animal, that he had been deprived by civilization of the opportunity to keep well by ranging over the wilds of life, and catching the food with his own witness of legs and snatching hands. The same principle applies to your

understanding of your own mind, your own Instincts. Recognize it—yourself as a creature of conflict. Intelligent men and women will know what to do to keep yourself in spiritual, as well as physical trim.

It took me some years to abandon the idea that man was not a creature of conflict, but knew of it. In the Far East, I had to bring all my experience as an observer and a journalist, a lawyer, and a player of the game of politics. I had to go back to nature and look at the whole picture of animal life. But in the end, I understood that over human life may be hypocrites about it, but the truth is that we are creatures who not only by nature live on conflict and have conflict, but at the bottom of our hearts love conflict.

Tell yourself the truth. What is it you really love about a presidential election? It is the platforms and programmes? No. It is the excitement, the thrill, the conflict of two forces. What takes millions to have a ball game to look on? Conflict. What accounts for the joy of a full-grown man struggling to land a speckled trout? Conflict. Why do men go on after they have amassed a fortune in business? Love of conflict.

A Multitude of Phases. What makes the idle rich and his idle rich wife fight each other and get



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It is the instinct of conflict gone wrong because it has no other outlet. Why is Jack Dempsey a more famous character than the president of your nearest university? Conflict served up in the simplest form of clash. Why did the vast crowd at the stadium in Rome attend a pugilistic bout for the love of the roaring of the whole crowd men, women and children, that the bull should be killed? Because we want not only conflict but also the dramatic ends to all conflict.

The Conflict of Possessions. What makes the commonness appeal to millions of people every day in motion pictures? It is the swift running scenes of conflicts. Even among the famous stories for children—Jack and the Beanstalk, the Flying Hood, Puss in Boots and so on—there is hard to find a single story which does not depend for its perennial life on a love of conflict extending to the criss-cross between the forces.

Tell yourself the truth. Your everlasting interest in the new fellow. In our modern civilization, when a savage conflict is suppressed and we have not yet learned a tenth of what we may learn about useful productive conflict, we are even engaging in silly conflict based upon our possessions and ownership. We compete with the neighbor, we have a mobile, a better washing-machine, a better and brighter chandelier, a new camisole or a more fashionable hat, more marble in the entry of our apartment house, or a Mah Jong set with more real ivory in it.

Our civilization has lost conflict which we like scandal. We like scandal for the same reason that we laugh when we see a man step on a banana peel and cut a parabola; there is nothing funny in that and we only laugh because we are rejoicing that we are being superior and more skillful, have not stepped on a cake of soap on the stairs. It is the sense of conflict.

A Gleeful Statement. Why? Because it makes us feel superior—either more moral or more clever. It is the sense of conflict with surrounding circumstances, in which others have been less successful than we are. I remember at a famous conference in Europe where I repre-

sented the United States, a supposedly great statesman was tremendously interested and amused by an American newspaper containing an account of certain love letters written by a rich Philadelphia clubman to a New York girl. He laughed and laughed about the expressions of these letters. I said to him: "These mushy documents appear to, please you." He replied quite gleefully: "Of course they do. I am glad that they were not written by me!"

So dominant in our lives is the instinct of conflict that every one of us believes every day that we are from some kind of crisis, cheap card reader, and charlatan palmistry shark, every fraudulent spiritualist can always make a bull's eye by telling the victim that he or she is facing a crisis of some kind in his or her life.

In conflict may be with a rival in love, a rival in business, a rival in social leadership, but you may be sure that the victim of the fortuneteller will always say, "How could anyone know this inner secret of my life?" Of course, the real inner life is that all our lives consist of a series of conflicts.

Without conflict we would grow soft, stale, and probably inherently unhappy.

It is absurd for a human being to deny that he is a creature of conflict. To do so is either self-delusion or hypocrisy. Healthy men and women are not only creatures of conflict, but also intelligent, brave, useful forms of conflict; they burn themselves to ashes within or else are driven to forms of conflict which are wasteful and destructive.

Stewing and Boiling Within. There's the trouble with the age we live in! Look about you and see if it is not so. In our modern life one finds a tempo, a machine, a sweat day and another sit at home. In other words, one is in a specialized task without variety. The range of each man's self is greatly narrowed. It is the life of the rut. It is no wonder that we are prone to conflict stews and boils within and drives us into nervous prostration, into moribund interest in ourselves or in such outgrows as roaring at the children.

In the days when man fought in the wilderness, when labor was arduous and a man put his own personality into whatever he made, in the days when women could not get their ready-made longuevaulen their leisure had little hunger to express themselves in work. It is true that men and women probably wore out more quickly in it. As I often heard Roosevelt say, "It is better to wear out than rust out." To-day, as Viscount Grey says, "It is a pleasure seeking but not a pleasure finding."

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CAUSE AND EFFECT. Coughs, colds or similar ailments don't just happen, they are the effect of a weakened system. The truth is that resistance is broken and you have failed to keep your body efficient.

Scott's Emulsion. I often point out that in many cases of murder we sympathize with the person on trial because murder is not a fault we are likely to commit; there is no sense of conflict—or matching our record with the murderer's. But when according to our ears a story of some one's folly or guilt at which the other fellow has been caught, we enjoy it, provided it is within the range of things we have been tempted to do or have done without being caught.

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Cover Will Blow Off. The failure of peace movements, as I have observed them, not only in America but in Europe, is based on the failure of sentimentalists to recognize that war is not yet recognized as the instinct for conflict is a tremendous force. Every pacifist I ever knew was devising means to clamp the cover on fundamental human instinct. It cannot be done. The cover will blow off every day. Especially in these days when bad leaders touch a match to the instinct for conflict by the use of propaganda. Any pacifist movement which is based upon "thou shalt not" is doomed a failure. Even if you suppress conflict in one form, it will break out in another. The conflict may be with a rival in love, a rival in business, a rival in social leadership, but you may be sure that the victim of the fortuneteller will always say, "How could anyone know this inner secret of my life?" Of course, the real inner life is that all our lives consist of a series of conflicts.

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The intelligent method is full recognition that we are creatures of conflict, that as civilization has gone on we have turned our instinct into

more useful channels, that the instinct will not down, but may give vent to the safety valves of more variety and perhaps above all a greater field in play—the kind of play which we do ourselves as distinguished from merely being entertained.

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